



THOUSANDS OF GERMANS IN DEATH POCKET

Japanese Reported Advancing on Allies in India

British Announce Enemy Gains on Base of Imphal

Mountbatten Pays Visit to Troops

By CHARLES A. GRUMICH

NEW DELHI, April 14 (AP)—Front dispatches said tonight that Japanese troops had reached the Bishnupur-Silchar trail running south-west and west of the Allied Indian base of Imphal and suffered a dozen casualties in an engagement with Allied troops there. This route previously had been described as the last land link between the Imphal defenders and the main Allied forces.

At the big Allied base of Kohima north of Imphal, the Japanese withdrew after an initial penetration into the hills west and northwest of the town, the dispatches added.

Jap Advance Admitted

Earlier, Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten's command announced the Japanese had reached the vicinity of the Bishnupur-Silchar trail. Bishnupur is on the western edge of the Imphal plain. Silchar is the railroad of a spur of the main line of the Bengal-Assam railway—the supply link of Allied forces in Northern Burma. It is approximately seventy miles west of Bishnupur.

The Japanese put thirty fighter planes over the Imphal-Ukhrul area Wednesday in their biggest aerial observation show since their appearance over the Chabua-Ledo sector Feb. 27. Spitfires intercepted the Japanese planes and damaged two before the enemy scooted back into the clouds.

Mountbatten at Imphal

It was disclosed that Mountbatten paid a surprise visit to Imphal Saturday, presumably by plane, and held a half-hour conference with the commander of the city's large garrison. Informed by newspaper correspondents that there had been considerable delay in the transmission of dispatches from the India front, the commander-in-chief promised to look into the matter.

Today's communique from Mountbatten's headquarters disclosed that Japanese troops had been encountered on the "track" running from Imphal to Silchar, seventy miles to the west, thus completing the enemy's ground isolation of the big base.

Americans Advancing

Lt. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell's Twenty-second and Thirty-ninth Chinese divisions were reported making steady progress against bitter Japanese opposition in their advance down the Mogaung valley of Northern Burma toward the enemy's major supply base at Myittha, and Brig. Gen. Frank Merrill's American Marauders pushed south of captured Napum Ga in the rugged hills to the east.

Frontline advances from Stilwell's headquarters reported a series of sharp engagements east of the Mogaung river, with his Chinese occupying Ypaduyang and Mungu-Gaitawing.

War Worker Wrote Too Much to Wife

LONDON, April 14 (AP)—"I have always told her everything," said Alfred Taylor, a war worker convicted of betraying military secrets in a letter to his wife. "I realize now I have been foolish," he added as the judge imposed a \$100 fine.

Tyrone Power Promoted

CORPUS CHRISTI, Tex., April 14 (AP)—Tyrone Power today was promoted from second to first lieutenant and will complete his flight training next week. Power was a civilian pilot in his movie days.

Ickes Proposes Gigantic Bonus For Men and Women in Service

SAN FRANCISCO, April 14 (AP)—Harold Ickes proposed a veterans' bonus today several times as large as any heretofore suggested. He told the Commonwealth Club the country should give the nation's fifteen billion dollar war plants to "the men and women who have served in our armed forces."

The secretary of the interior would incorporate the war plants and distribute the shares to the veterans.

He declined to go into details when questioned about his speech, saying he was just throwing out the suggestion for discussion. He called his plan a "revised edition of the Homestead acts and of



THIS NAZI MOTORCYCLE MESSENGER, retreating on the eastern front, grins at his own appearance as he pauses in some back area, safe and whole but plastered with Russian mud from the top of his head to the bottom of his boots. The photo comes through a neutral country.

Gaylord Quits Nelson's Group

Is Not Satisfied With Postwar Setup

By STERLING F. GREEN

WASHINGTON, April 14 (AP)—Chairman Donald M. Nelson of the War Production Board today disclosed his program for planning postwar reconversion "in the gold fish bowl of public opinion," by naming a civilian cross-section committee which will review all industry proposals for returning to consumer goods production.

The committee was launched in dissent, however, for Robert M. Gaylord, president of the National Association of Manufacturers, who was invited to sit as a management representative, declined in a letter asserting that "repeated experience in recent years has shown that committees of this nature are ineffective."

Gaylord Gives Views

"At the risk of appearing rude to you," Gaylord wrote, "I feel compelled to decline membership." The permanent committee will have representation from labor, management, public opinion, agriculture, consumers, banking and finance, and the distribution trades. Nelson said representatives of each industry will consult with WPB and prepare recommendations for the resumption of civilian production when it becomes feasible. Representatives of the automobile industry will meet with WPB Monday.

Nelson Explains

"These reports will be handed to the new committee for its advice, and will be made available to the press at the same time," Nelson explained. "I want these things to be done in the goldfish bowl of public opinion. I want them done in a way that will be fair to labor, to the consumer, and to the managements of the companies affected."

The new group, named the WPB Advisory Committee on Civilian Policy, will provide machinery for obtaining the view of each segment of the nation's economy on every major reconversion plan, Nelson told a news conference.

the land provisions of the reclamation law," saying it would be "the most appropriate and the most beneficial form of bonus payment."

On setting up the plans for operation in peacetime, preliminary to the time the veterans could organize their own management, he suggested "perhaps the first directors would have to be appointed by the government."

The war plant bonus was Ickes' most specific proposal in a plan for postwar adjustments he offered.

On world trade, Ickes said the United States must supply what it is best able to produce, and buy liberally from other countries what they are best able to supply.

MUD IN HIS EYE

Alcohol Output May Be Boosted

Present Stocks Seen Dwindling

WASHINGTON, April 14 (AP)—Part-time resumption of liquor distilling was again proposed to the War Production Board today by industry representatives who said that unless some production of beverage alcohol is permitted there may be none available next year.

The WPB disclosed that the proposal was made at a closed meeting by a member of the agency's alcohol industry advisory committee. It said this committee, whose name was not made known, suggested that a three-day-a-month diversion from production for war needs would provide approximately 50,000,000-proof gallons of alcohol a year and "substantially alleviate the present beverage drought."

The WPB's official account of the closed meeting did not state the reaction of government officials. Proposals for partial resumption of whiskey production have been rejected at least three times, and at last reports officials were dubious over any resumption of production this year.

WPB announced that industrial alcohol production in March established a new record, with 51,500,000 gallons of 190-proof alcohol produced compared with 46,700,000 gallons in January, the previous high month.

Allied Air Force Tough on Germans

LONDON, April 14 (AP)—The American air forces and the RAF are engaging four times as many German fighter planes as they were in 1943, and Allied heavy bombing is "taking weapons out of the hands of the German soldiers" as the western invasion looms, Air Chief Marshal Sir Arthur Harris said in an article written for "British Ally," which is published in Moscow.

"It will be nothing short of a miracle if the German armies on all fronts, with their war factories and towns crumbling to dust behind their backs, prove to be anything like as well armed in 1944 as they were in 1943," Harris said in the article, which was quoted by the London Daily Mail.

Allied bombings, in addition to smashing up the German war potential, Harris wrote, changed the whole strategy of the German army and "wrecked the co-operation between the German army and the air force, compelling each to fight by itself."

Mean Taxpayer

TOPEKA, Kas., April 14 (AP)—John Towle, tax assessor, thought he knew all of the answers, but one of his citizens stumped him. One of the questions on the assessment blank: "Nature of taxpayer." The answer: "Very mean."

Allied Air Blows Cut Deeply into German Strength

Week-Long Raids Do Great Damage

By W. W. HERCHER

LONDON, April 14 (AP)—RAF Mosquitos bombarded Berlin last night, probably with two-ton blockbusters, and American Thunderbolt fighter-bombers made a spectacular attack on a German airfield in Northeastern France today in a crackling climax to an historic week-long, two-way Allied aerial assault on Axis Continental targets vital to the defense of the western front.

These sharp blows on a relatively minor scale marked the tapering off of a great offensive begun last Saturday which dealt crippling blows to at least thirteen German aircraft factories, seventeen airfields and fourteen railroad centers figuring prominently in the Nazis' preparations for resisting the forthcoming Allied invasion from the west.

Start Huge Fires

Thunderbolts swooped out of a cloudbank over the airfield in France so suddenly today they caught about fifty aircraft on the ground and raked them almost at leisure, destroying a full score. Huge fires were set in the installations as bombs burst among the Nazi planes. The raid was made without loss to the Allies.

Last night the swift British plywood Mosquitos, which were striking the Nazi capital for the first time since March 24, also hit objectives in Western Germany.

In the week's great offensive, equalled only by the assault on the German aircraft industry from February 19 through 26, more than 15,000 tons of bombs were dropped and the Germans lost more than 700 aircraft destroyed or damaged.

Bag 100 Planes a Day

The latest compilation shows that American and British aerial gunners shot at least 591 enemy planes from the sky, an average of almost 100 a day.

The significance of these figures is apparent when it is recalled an RAF commentator reported Wednesday that the German air force had been able to increase its front-line fighter strength by only about 250 planes since last November.

Now many of the Germans' most important sources of Messerschmitt and Focke-Wulf planes lie in ruins, and with a 700-plane chunk bitten out of its forces the German air arm finds itself called upon to defend Nazi territory from repeated sledge-hammer attacks from the growing Allied forces operating from both Britain and Italy.

Russia Accepts Postwar Plans

Eisenhower To Head Military Government

By WES GALLAGHER

LONDON, April 14 (AP)—Russia has agreed with the United States and Great Britain on the principle of military government, after the war, for Germany and such satellites as choose to fight to the end, it was reported on high authority tonight.

An American-British-Russian plan for the handling of occupied Germany is now nearing completion, providing for an "Allied military government with teeth in it." It makes Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower the supreme authority in (Continued on Page 2, Col. 4)

Yank Fliers Interned in Sweden

Spend Lavishly on Native Girls

STOCKHOLM, April 14 (AP)—The Stockholm newspaper Tjilningen said today that among the 188 fliers forced to land in Sweden over the Easter holidays were two who had been interned twice before, but this was denied by the American air attaché.

The Swedish Nazi newspaper Dagsposten, ignoring the denial, questioned "how does it happen the same person can be interned several times in Sweden?" And then quoted a Swedish information office spokesman as saying some American and German airmen previously had been returned to their flying outfits on an exchange basis.

An article in a Swedish newspaper, said, "Falun now has so many Americans that the town should be able to open a second front of its own."

Approximately 300 Americans are interned in Sweden. The Svenska Dagbladet columnist said Falun's taxi drivers are "getting rich," adding: "Ordinary citizens have absolutely no chance of getting a taxi on Saturday night because the Yankees have engaged them on the previous Wednesday for a Saturday night ride with girl friends. And the hotels never had seen such days. Champagne flows in streams x x x cost means nothing. 'The Yankees have money like grass and they spend it on the Swedish girls. Not only for movies, flowers and candy but for watches, furs, bracelets and underwear which they rain down on the girls and make them crazy in the head.'

John L. Lewis Charges Plot To Defraud Miners

Asks \$18,000,000 Payment at Once

By JOSEPH A. LOFTUS

WASHINGTON, April 14 (AP)—John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers, tonight demanded prompt payment of \$18,000,000 in retroactive portal-to-portal pay to the soft coal miners, asserted that a conspiracy to defraud them exists and warned that they are becoming "increasingly angry at the failure of their government to redeem its promise."

Lewis calculated the sum on the basis of \$40 per miner, the terms on which he agreed to write off the underground travel time claim for last April, May and June. These terms are part of the UMW contract with seventy-five per cent of the operators. The contract is now awaiting War Labor Board action.

Complaints to Ickes

The UMW chief addressed his complaint and demand to Secretary of the Interior Ickes, government custodian of the mines, implying that the government has an obligation to require immediate payment of the money.

Except for his reference to the anger of the miners, Lewis' letter did not hint that strikes or a new crisis are approaching. However, a union press release accompanying the letter said that the miners are "growing restive" and that the demand for prompt payment became so pronounced among Alabama miners last month that union officials resorted to circulars urging the men to remain at work.

Says Operators Collected

Lewis contended that the operators have collected the \$18,000,000 through the sale of coal at advanced prices and are using this money to operate the industry in lieu of their own corporate funds. His letter made these contentions: "That the sum mentioned represents retroactive pay earned by the bituminous miners, payment of which was guaranteed by the president of the United States, by the secretary of interior, by the National War Labor Board and by the bituminous coal operators."

"That certain groups of southern coal operators and the War Labor Board are in conspiracy to continuously delay and void the payment of this guaranteed back wage claim."

"No government agency," he said "has taken any affirmative step to redeem the honor of the presidents' word and direct the several bituminous coal companies now under government control to liquidate this obligation."

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Turkey May Seek Accord with Allies

ANKARA, April 14 (AP)—In a press conference whose tenor was taken to indicate that Turkey will seek to compromise with the Allies on the question of Turkish-German trade, Foreign Minister Numan Menemencioğlu declared today, "we will, in the general direction of our foreign policy, aid the Allies to the limit of our material possibilities."

Restaurant Owner Jailed for Selling Garbage for Food

NEW YORK, April 14 (AP)—Found guilty of using garbaged vegetables for soup in his restaurant here, George Knierrinen, 55 of Jersey City, N. J., was fined \$500 or 150 days and sentenced. In addition, to sixty days in jail today by Magistrate Charles E. Hiramaki in municipal court.

Knierrinen was accused of taking carrots, tomatoes, onions and lettuce from garbage swept up by street cleaners and using them to make soup. He was committed to jail immediately, having failed to pay his fine.

AMERICAN INDIAN GETS TOP MEDAL



A FULL-BLOOD American Indian from Broken Arrow, Okla., Army Lt. Ernest Childers smiles proudly as, somewhere in Italy, the priceless ribbon of the Congressional Medal of Honor is fastened around his neck by Lt. Gen. Jacob L. Devers, commander of United States forces in the Mediterranean area.

Dewey Reviews Work at Albany

No Bureaucracies in New York Regime

ALBANY, N. Y., April 14 (AP)—Governor Thomas E. Dewey declared tonight that his fifteen-months administration of New York state has been dedicated to "genuinely competent and progressive" government in contrast to government "through centralized bureaucracies issuing directives from a distance."

The governor, considered a heavy favorite for the Republican presidential nomination although he maintains he is not a candidate, also assailed sharply the federal government's handling of the soldier vote problem in a report of his own administration prepared for state-wide broadcast.

Lauds Vet Voting Law

Lauding New York's 1944 soldier vote law as "a simple, workable formula for soldier voting," Dewey asserted the state soldier ballot, listing national, state and local offices, "will not be the blank piece of paper which was sponsored in Washington."

"Nor will it, as the national government tried to do deprive the soldier of his constitutional right to vote for every office to be filled."

"Under this New York law, voting is simpler for a soldier on foreign service than it is for a citizen here at home," the governor continued, "and the honest ballots cast by real soldiers will not be cancelled by the frauds which other proposals would have permitted."

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Praises State Government

Dewey, first Republican governor of New York since 1922, claimed a state administration "infused with new blood and new energy, filled with a spirit of teamwork between the legislative and executive branches, working in co-operation with each other, with the people of the state, and with the local units of government which are closest to the people."

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Five Key Isles Off Truk Bombed

Nimitz Reports Heavy Attacks

By LEIF ERICKSON

UNITED STATES PACIFIC FLEET HEADQUARTERS, PEARL HARBOR, April 14 (AP)—Five key islands of Truk atoll were hit Wednesday night by Seventh army air force Liberators in the twentieth heavy bomber strike of the aerial campaign to "soften up Truk." Admiral Chester W. Nimitz announced today.

The Wednesday night raid was the second in which five islands in the Japanese Caroline island stronghold have been hit at one time. The targets were Dublon, Moen, Fefan, Param and Uman.

Eleventh Truk Raid

This was the eleventh Truk raid carried out by Maj. Gen. Willis H. Hale's Seventh air force. Admiral William F. Halsey's South Pacific bombers have delivered nine strikes from the south.

The bomber crews reported sighting three enemy night fighters in the air but none of them attempted to intercept the American flight. They said antiaircraft fire was "meager."

The airmen's report that they were able to hit the five Truk island targets simultaneously while the Japanese offered only "meager" antiaircraft resistance suggests that the steady aerial pounding is beginning to have a material softening up effect.

A single Liberator from the Truk flight bombed Ponape atoll, 173 nautical miles southwest of the American Marshall island base at Eniwetok.

Ponape also Bombed

Seventh air force Mitchells also bombed Ponape for the twelfth time in the first twelve days of April. The air field and adjacent buildings were hit. "Ack ack was moderate."

Forty five tons of bombs were dropped on four enemy-held Marshall atolls in combined assaults by army Mitchell medium bombers, navy Ventura search planes, and marine Dauntless divebombers and Corsair fighters.

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Russians Corner Trapped Nazis in Crimea Fighting

Entire Division Is Annihilated

By TOM YARBROUGH

LONDON, Saturday, April 15 (AP)—Two Red armies in the Crimea cornered thousands of German and Romanian troops in a death pocket around Sevastopol yesterday, destroying an entire German division of perhaps 15,000 men and running their six-day prisoner string to 31,000, while the re-emerging Soviet Black sea fleet and its naval air arm sank four boats jammed with Axis infantrymen trying to escape by sea, Moscow announced early today.

On land the two armies under Generals Fedor I. Tolbukhin and Andre I. Yeremenko joined forces for a swift annihilation of the trapped Axis troops, capturing Bakhchisarai, only eighteen miles northeast of Sevastopol, and 500 other localities as they bore down on the big fortress where the Germans suffered 300,000 casualties in the 1941-42 siege.

Destroy German Division

They routed two Romanian divisions and "completely destroyed" another German division, liberating all but one-tenth of the big peninsula. They also cut the Black sea retreat road between Feodosiya and Yalta by capturing Alushta on the southern side of the peninsula, a midnight bulletin said.

At sea the Red fleet sank an enemy transport of 3,000 tons and Soviet airmen sank three self-propelled barges carrying German infantrymen, the communique said adding:

"Soviet sailors and airmen are cutting short all enemy efforts to save at least some of his Crimean troops which are condemned to destruction."

Remnants of 100,000

It originally had been estimated that 100,000 Axis troops were based in the Crimea, but whether this number was reduced by the time the Soviet offensive got under way a week ago was not known.

Telling of the rapid Soviet conquest ashore the bulletin said panicky Germans were "abandoning not only trucks, rifles and ammunition" in their retreat, "but even their own personal clothing, overcoats, boots, steel helmets, kit bags and gas masks."

Prisoners reported that "German and Romanian generals have left the Crimea by plane, abandoning their division to fate," Moscow said in its latest communique.

House Votes Big Grant to Navy

WASHINGTON, April 14 (AP)—Determined to back the fighting forces with every dollar they seek, the House unanimously passed today a \$32,647,134,336 naval appropriation bill and got ready for a \$50,000,000 supply measure for the army.

The 257 to 6 roll-call that sent the second-largest appropriation bill in history to the Senate followed a single day of debate highlighted by praise of the navy and expressions of determination to keep it the world's largest.

While the largest fund ever voted for the navy—a fund expected to build Uncle Sam's mighty armada up to 6,623 ships in addition to almost 75,000 supporting and landing craft—the appropriation fell some \$27,000,000,000 short of the all-time record of \$59,000,000,000 voted last year for the army.

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A monument will be erected to him in Kiev, the announcement added, praising him as "one of the most talented young army commanders who had developed during this war."

Vatutin, in his early 40's, was a short, thick-set man, with his broad head set so close to his shoulders that his troops called him "the man without a neck."

His rise was one of the most rapid of all Russian commanders. He first got into the news last year in the campaign on the upper Don and took command of the First Ukrainian Army last September,



## Rives Matthews Freed of Charge In Libel Action

### Weekly Editor Is Vindicated

PRINCESS ANNE, Md., April 14 (AP)—A crusading country editor who successfully attacked State Comptroller J. Millard Tawes' use of rationed gasoline was freed today of a criminal libel charge, and immediately declared it was a "complete vindication of the right of a free press."

State's attorney Harry T. Dashiell ordered a nolle prosequi of the indictment against Rives Matthews 37-year-old editor of the weekly Somerset News, saying Tawes, the chief prosecution witness, had told him that "in the public interest the prosecution should end."

**Criticized Tawes**  
Matthews criticized Tawes repeatedly in articles last year for making a 1,600-mile trip to Georgia in a state-owned automobile. The editor's arrest followed on June 8, 1943.

On June 11, Tawes admitted the use of "C" ration gas for the trip from Crisfield, Md., to Ft. Benning, Ga., and the Maryland Office of Price Administration revoked both his official and personal ration cards for a year. However, Tawes was given the right to re-apply for an official ration.

The editor declared that the nolle prosequi action "shows there are good Americans, even in Mr. Tawes' neighborhood, because this thing is the result of public opinion—public opinion kept this thing from going to trial."

Matthews currently is a candidate for the Maryland Republican nomination for United States Senate in the May 1 primary.

### Matthews Held Vindicated

In Washington, Elisha Hanson, general counsel for the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, said in a statement that Matthews was vindicated and congratulated him for having "the courage to expose the wholesale misuse of gasoline coupons by the second highest official of the state of Maryland. Mr. Matthews' exposure resulted in a complete overhauling of the system by which cars are operated for state use in Maryland and in the savings of thousands of gallons of gasoline for war purposes."

Matthews, a native of St. Louis, said when he filed for the United States Senate nomination, in quest of the seat now held by Millard E. Tydings, Democrat, that his \$270 filing fee was donated by 270 persons.

### In Maryland Five Years

He came to Princess Anne about five years ago, making a down payment on the Somerset News with \$1,000 sent him by a Connecticut reader of an article in the Hudson News, at Hastings-on-the-Hudson, attacking billboards obstructing the view of sailboats—a story for which he was fired.

Before that he was a play reader and critic for "Billboard."

On May 25, 1943, Matthews protested by telegram to the Maryland OPA about the comptroller's Georgia trip. On June 3 the OPA ordered the Crisfield War Price and Rationing Board to investigate. Subsequently the board exonerated Tawes of violating the pleasure driving ban.

### Tawes, Admitted Violation

Matthews was arrested June 8, and on the same day the OPA directed an investigation into Tawes' use of "C" gasoline ration, ordering a hearing before a state panel. Shortly afterward, Tawes admitted misuse in a statement to the OPA and the penalties followed.

Matthews was indicted last September, and the American Newspaper Publishers Association directed its general counsel, Elisha Hanson, to give "any assistance possible" to the weekly editor.

Prentiss Evans, then state's attorney, obtained a postponement of the trial to the April term of court. He was indicted into the army in January and the appointment of Dashiell followed.

### Says Politicians Worry

In his statement today, Matthews asserted that "the failure of the political forces aligned with Mr. Tawes and Governor (Herbert R.) O'Connor to bring the case to trial shows that they are deeply worried about the outcome of the election on primary day and quite obviously wish to hush up the whole matter." Hanson said in his statement at Washington:

"I think State Attorney Dashiell showed excellent judgment in nolle prosequing the case against Editor Matthews. Had the case gone to trial, Comptroller Tawes would have been the principal witness for the defense. I have directed that subpoenas be issued commanding him to appear and testify as to his misuse of gasoline coupons rationed to the state of Maryland for public use.

"I had also asked that subpoenas be issued to the state director of the OPA in Baltimore requesting him to appear and produce the entire file relating to Comptroller Tawes' misuse of gasoline coupons. I had also directed that subpoenas be issued to the members and former members of the local ration board who excused Mr. Tawes in the first instance.

"Of all people involved in this controversy, congratulations should go to the country editor, Rives Matthews, of the Somerset News. He had the courage to expose the wholesale misuse of gasoline coupons by the second highest official of the state of Maryland. Mr. Matthews' exposure resulted in a complete overhauling of the system by

## Personal Items From Kitzmiller

By MRS. L. C. HUTSON  
KITZMILLER, April 14 — Miss Sarah MacIntyre, cadet nurse, returned to Baltimore Wednesday after spending the Easter vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Lee MacIntyre.

Mrs. Lucy Sollars returned home Thursday after visiting her daughter Mrs. Edna Roderick, Westernport.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hanlin left Monday for Baltimore where they will reside.

Miss Vera Vodopivec, Baltimore, spent Easter with her mother Mrs. Jennie Vodopivec.

Pfc. Robert Sollars, Fort Dix, N. J., is spending a seven-day furlough with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Sollars.

Those attending the district meeting of the W. S. C. S. at Kingwood W. Va., Tuesday were, the Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Hardesty, Mrs. Ora Weicht, Mrs. Ethel Bender, Mrs. Blanche Wilson, Mrs. Hallie Pritts, Mrs. Joseph Ridder, Mrs. Beulah Cross, Mrs. Alta McRobie, Mrs. Edna Jones, and Mrs. Mattie Barrick. Mrs. Mildred Lear, Washington, D. C., visited Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hutson.

Mrs. Wilma Markley is visiting relatives in Washington.

Joseph Arnold Jr., Chestertown, spent the Easter holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Barton and family spent the weekend at Sutton, W. Va.

Mary Jo and Bruce Holland, Green Belt, Md., visited their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. John Bishop, for Easter.

Evelyn Hutson, Baltimore, and Ruth Hutson, State Teachers college, Salisbury, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hutson, for Easter.

Mrs. Joseph Ridder, and two children, spent Friday in Keyser, W. Va. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Weicht and two children, Akron, Ohio, spent Easter with relatives.

Pvt. Willis Harvey, Camp Meade, is spending a ten-day furlough with his wife and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cummings and family, moved here from Pierce, W. Va., Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warder Harvey, Luray, Va., visited the former's mother Mrs. Jess Parando, Thursday.

Eugene Harpold and daughter Carol Ann, Baltimore, spent Easter with friends.

Mrs. Paul Ridder, Piedmont, spent the Easter vacation with her mother Mrs. Minnie McKean.

Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Arnold, Cumberland, visited Mrs. Ora Weicht Sunday.

Tate Kennerly spent the weekend with his sister Mrs. Fred MacGruder, Piedmont, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McRobie visited in Cumberland Monday.

Reba and Fred Downey, Barton, visited their mother Mrs. Jane O'Donnell, over the weekend.

Sgt. and Mrs. Roy Cappadonna and daughter have returned to Washington after visiting the latter's mother Mrs. Lulu Kinkadee.

Pfc. Harold Sharpless has returned to Camp Harem, Calif.

## Major Bong May Get Case of Scotch

NOGALES, Sonora, Mex., April 14 (AP)—To "Senior Rickenbacker" was offered today a case of "real Scotch whisky" for presentation to Maj. Richard I. Bong, America's No. 1 air ace.

Demetrio Kyriakis operator of an internationally known night club tendered the bonded liquor in behalf of the people of Nogales when he learned Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker, the World War One ace, had offered a case of Scotch to the first Southwest Pacific airman to exceed his twenty-six-aircraft record.

Bong, according to a special Southwest Pacific Allied headquarters, release, qualified for the Scotch among other things when he topped Rickenbacker's record with twenty-seven.

Kyriakis told a newsman he was awaiting instructions from Rickenbacker. American border authorities, who town upon transportation of liquor across the border, may have to relax regulations a little, Kyriakis said.

## War-time Martial Law Challenged

HONOLULU, April 14 (AP)—Legality of wartime martial law was challenged again in federal court today. Counsel for Harry E. White, former Honolulu stock broker, sought a writ of habeas corpus. White is serving a five-year prison sentence on conviction of embezzlement in a provost court.

In a martial law case decided yesterday, Federal Judge Delbert E. Metzger held that Hawaii's military government was invalid and that the provost court possessed no authority in law over the civilian petitioner in question.

## He's Still Winning

Alan Ford, Yale's crack swimmer won the first race in which he competed. It was at his home in Balboa, Canal Zone, when he was 6 years old. The prize was a small bar of chocolate.

which cars are operated for state use in Maryland and in the savings of thousands of gallons of gasoline for war purposes. As a result of this public service he was indicted on a charge of having libeled Comptroller Tawes. The action of the state's attorney of his county in requesting the dismissal of the indictment not only ends the case but vindicates Mr. Matthews."

## Kirke L. Simpson Says: New American and Allied Moves Impending in the Pacific Area

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON  
Associated Press War Analyst

Both extremes of the Japanese Pacific outpost line, New Guinea in the southwest and the Kuriles in the northeast, have come in for intensified air attack recently to stir expectation that new American or Allied moves are impending.

Those attacks, particularly in the north where the bombers come closer and closer to Tokyo itself with every stroke, must also be sharpening Japanese apprehension.

Linked with enemy knowledge that planes of super range and hitting power have long been in production in this country but not yet flown in action so far as known, the attacks in the Kuriles have an ominous significance for the Nipponese home front.

### Threat Developing

Yet it is southward, on New Guinea, that the greater threat to the whole Japanese conquest design may be developing. With the Bismarck archipelago cleared of the foe, or his remaining garrisons isolated and doomed, General MacArthur is shifting his attention to the south boundary of that sea highroad to the Southern Philippines. His bombers are pushing the preliminary attack up the New Guinea coast line into the Dutch end of the big island. And the northwestern tip of New Guinea is only 700 miles from the southeastern tip of Mindanao in the Philippines.

None of the Pacific islands or atolls in the lower Pacific except

those occupied by American and British forces, and calls for Russian military control over areas occupied by the Red army.

Other details of the program as described to this correspondent by a highly-placed informant, include: The Allied military government organization is to be used nowhere in Europe except in Germany and in the satellite nations loyal to Berlin to the end.

### Russians Complained

The Russians recently complained that they had not been taken sufficiently into consideration in early Italian affairs and they retaliated by giving the Badoglio government semi-diplomatic recognition without fully advising the Allies.

All three powers have agreed, however, on a mutual settling of the problem of what to do with the enemy. This has been turned over to the European advisory commission to work out a plan.

The United States and Britain have agreed to give Gen. Eisenhower authority to deal with all the countries entering his sphere of military command, which includes most of Western Europe. The Allied supreme staff hopes to work with the French, Dutch and Norwegians on a straight liaison plan, letting each country handle its own affairs subject to the military necessities as seen by the supreme commander.

### Great Power for Eisenhower

Gen. Eisenhower will have a vast direct and indirect control over the civilian life of all Europe liberated by the Allies until normal diplomatic channels are resumed. It is likely this will be for some time.

Combat teams of military government officers are now being trained in Britain to handle every phase of German public life and to execute a complete purge of the Nazis when the Allied armies enter Germany. It is understood that the Russians have agreed to the military government principle and are now training their own forces to work with the Red army in the zones assigned to it.

The plan is being worked out by the European advisory commission and is to be presented to Gen. Eisenhower and Red army commanders in the form of directives.

### CHURCH PLANS DRIVE TO LIQUIDATE DEBTS

Grace Methodist church has been launched on a crusade to liquidate the indebtedness on Grace Community hall, erected in 1923.

The project was outlined at a meeting of the official board of the church this week and calls for redecoration of the sanctuary. The total amount of the indebtedness, plus the cost of the sanctuary decoration, is \$38,500, of which \$5,200 is already pledged.

The crusade is under the direction of Dr. Charles Wentworth, Philadelphia, who represents the Field Service and Debt Raising Department of the General Board of Missions and Church Extension of the Methodist church, and the Rev. Charles M. LeFev, pastor, Dr. Wentworth is here at the invitation of the official board, which approved some time ago a mortgage lifting plan suggested by the pastor.

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## Scouts To Govern Ridgeley Today

Ridgeley Boy Scout Troop No. 71 will govern the town today. The first council meeting will be held at 9 o'clock in the council chamber, when definite jobs for the day will be assigned various troop members.

This is the second year the troop has taken over the government of the town for a day, and James Perry, troop leader, and Mayor Paul K. Morgan will assist the boys to complete the projects they undertake today. Another council meeting will be held at 5:30 o'clock to check what has been done and to incorporate the unfinished work in the adult council.

Joseph Moss will serve as mayor; Robert Baker, as recorder; and Ralph Imes as chief of police. Other members of the troop are William Brehaney, David Jones, Alvin VanMeter, Donald Lay, Ronald Hoelzer, Harold Jewell, Donald Jewell, Jared Clevenger, Earl Brant, James Phalin and Merle Cornelius.

## UNION GROVE CLUB STRESSES WAR WORK

War work was stressed by the Union Grove Homemakers Club at its meeting Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Russell O'Neal, Bedford road. Mrs. Albert Smouse, peace chairman, announced twelve pounds of waste fat had been collected and turned in by the club. She also read an article on sabotage of waste-paper. Mrs. Holmes Cessna reported that in the recent Red Cross drive the members collected \$233 in their canvass on the Bedford road, Union Grove and Hazen road districts, which is the highest ever collected there. She also reported that the members had completed twenty-five articles for the Red Cross.

Mrs. John McKakin reported 185 quarts of food had been canned; fifteen quarts of vegetables; eighteen pounds of lard and sixteen pounds of jelly since January 1. Mrs. George Yeager, clothing chairman, announced seventy-two articles of clothing have been made or made over and three dayenport cushions repaired since the first of the year by members.

The Recreational period was conducted by Mrs. Charles Sionaker, and a quiz on a penny was held. Mrs. R. J. Harris had the highest number of correct answers. A food quiz was conducted and a talk on "Food Fights for Freedom," by Miss Maude A. Bean, who also distributed pamphlets on the topic. Mrs. Harris presented the second phase of the Atlantic Charter and a discussion followed. An apron exhibit was also held.

The next meeting will be held May 10 at the home of Mrs. Leonard Switzer, Hill street.

## First Diphtheria Case In Two Years Reported

The first diphtheria case recorded in Cumberland in two years was reported yesterday by the local health department.

A seventeen-year-old railroad employee, residing on Gay street, has contracted the disease, and is now under quarantine.

There are six other children in the family.

## Baltimore Minister Will Preach Here

The Rev. Herschel G. Miller, of the Church of St. Michael and All Angels, Baltimore, will conduct services at Emmanuel Episcopal church Sunday. The Holy Communion service will be held at 8 o'clock and morning prayer and worship at 11 a. m., with the Rev. Mr. Miller delivering the sermon.

The Rev. Mr. Hess will preach at the morning service at 10:30 o'clock and at the 7:30 o'clock evening service tomorrow and each day next week at 7:30 p. m. Special music will be provided by the congregation.

The revival service will close with morning and evening services Sunday, April 23.

## Pinto Mennonite Church Will Hold Revival

The Rev. J. W. Hess, Akron, Pa., will be the evangelist at an eight-day revival service which begins tomorrow morning at the Pinto Mennonite church, the Rev. C. M. Helmick, pastor, announced last evening.

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Barberry, Red Leaf, 5 in bundle 1.39

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## CIO Council Names Committee Heads

The Executive board of the Western Maryland Industrial Union Council announced yesterday the appointment of five committee chairmen. The council also condemned Martin Dies as an American Fascist, endorsed the wage demands of the American Steelworkers of America and voted to oppose a bill appropriating funds for the NRLB.

The committee chairmen are Charles W. Nicodemus, Local 1874, TWU, Political Action; John E. Neal, Local 1874, Educational; Holly E. Scott, Local 26, URWA, Racial Discrimination; Richard E. Boyden, president of Local 1874, Postwar Planning; and Horace B. Davis, editor of the Western Maryland CIO News, Publicity and Organization.

Ralph E. Beard, Local 26, URWA, will represent the council at a hearing in Washington Wednesday and Thursday to urge the continuation of the OPA with increased appropriations.

Condemning Martin Dies as "an American Fascist," the council declared in a resolution that the Dies committee on Un-American Activities stands convicted on "using its position of immunity in Congress to spread falsehoods for political ends."

The council also endorsed the demands of the United Steelworkers of America, who seek increased pay, guaranteed annual wage, sick leave and dismissal pay in a case before the War Labor Board.

Members of the board opposed continuance of the Frey amendment appropriating funds for the National Labor Relations Board but recommended an appropriation of \$500,000 for the Fair Employment Practices committee.

James A. Dundon, international representative of TWU, outlined plans for the council's participation in the coming political campaign.

## Judges Are Selected For Art Exhibit Here

Judges have been selected for the Allegany County Art League exhibit which will open Monday night in the Cumberland Free Public Library. They are:

Mrs. Dorothy Bastian, graduate of the College of Fine Arts, Carnegie Institute, Pittsburgh, who also has studied in Paris and Florence; Miss Helen Sandfort, art supervisor of Allegany county schools; Miss Anna B. Gray, director of Fine Arts, State Teachers college, Frostburg; and Mrs. T. M. Andrews, Cumberland, teacher of arts and crafts at summer camps.

First, second and third places, and two honorable mentions will be awarded.

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## William Conrad Is Taken by Death

By KATHERINE FISHER

MOOREFIELD, April 14—William Conrad, 76, died in Potomac Valley hospital, Keyser, Sunday. Mr. Conrad was at the home of Mrs. Amanda Reel in the Riverview Addition when he became ill. Ward Strawderman and Nick Leatherman took him to Keyser Saturday and Ward Strawderman gave a blood transfusion but his condition did not improve.

"Bill," as he was known in and about Moorefield, lived here for many years, though he was born in Grant county. He was an energetic handy man and had been employed in many homes.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon with interment in the Walnut Bottom cemetery Tuesday afternoon with the Rev. John Thomas conducting the service.

## Take Examination

Seventeen young men went to Harpersburg Thursday of last week for physical examination for service in the armed forces.

Miss Elizabeth Wise, secretary of the Selective Service Board, announces the names of those called: Dalley Frank Shoemaker, Reuben Joseph Smith, Daniel Davis Orrdorf, Andrew Athey McCorkle, Lyle Brown Buckley, Donald J. Taylor, William Ward Crites, Ralph Lane Ludwig, Ernest Lee Smith, Carson Wayne Barr, Gilbert Lyon Sions, William Earl Cleaver, Olin Brown Riggelman, Lawson Lawrence Fitzwater, Lacy Marvin Halterman, Robert Glenn Harper, and Raymond William Funkhouser.

## Is Prisoner

Sgt. Clifton W. Malcolm, who was reported missing in action over Germany in a raid on February 25, has been reported by the War Department as a prisoner of war in Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Malcolm, of Keyser, received a telegram from the American Red Cross announcing the good news of his safety.

## Personals

Mrs. Ernest Dix spent several days in Philadelphia this week on business.

Corp. John Harmon, stationed at Great Bend, Kan., is home on a fifteen day furlough.

Pvt. Richard Stell, came in from Drew Field, Fla., and is also spending a furlough here with his father, G. W. Stell.

Miss Jean Taylor, Washington, spent several days here with her father, J. D. Taylor. While here she visited her mother, Mrs. Taylor, who is recuperating from an operation in Rockingham Memorial hospital, Harrisonburg.

Curtis Fawley left the first of the week for Roanoke to try out for a baseball team.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Pownall and Miss Mollie Pownall left yesterday for a visit to Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis.

Tobacco was once used by Indians in middle America as a medicine and as incense in religious ceremonies.

A yellow flag hanging from a ship's halyard indicates that there is pestilence aboard.

Mah jong has been played in China for about eight centuries.

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LONGIES in dark patterns to finish the school season. Brown, blue, gray in stripes, checks and plain colors. Sizes 8 to 18, Students 25 to 32 waist.

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Were to 3.98.....	2.98

BOYS' SPORTS JACKETS, were to 12.50..... 5.95

There are tan corduroys, gray plaids in all wool and two-tone dark tan body with light tan herringbone sleeves. Sizes 12 to 20 and small, medium and large.

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Solid colors only in red, brown and navy in sizes 8 to 10.

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BLOUSES..... 1.49 to 2.99

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## DRESSES

## 1/2 price

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Were 19.98..	5.49	Were 19.98..	9.99
Were 12.98..	6.49	Were 22.98..	11.49
Were 17.98..	8.99	Were 25.00..	12.50

Crepes, prints, spring flannels, jerseys and sheers in navy, black and pastels. Sizes 9 to 15, 10 to 20, 38 to 52 and 16 1/2 to 24 1/2 in the group.

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Were 17.98.....	8.99
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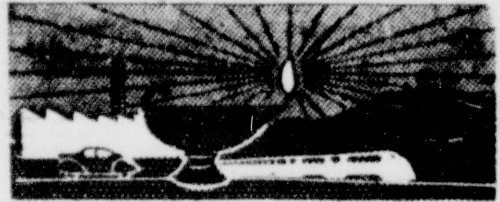
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manpower chairman, declares that, on the basis of war performance of labor, management and government, it is quite possible for creation of a postwar economy and abundance "that can outstrip any prosperity this country has ever known." Senator Barkley, of Kentucky, says "we shall have prosperity such as we have never dreamed of before and when he added that the government will get out of business as soon as possible—whenever that is—when peace comes, he revealed that he has been following the election returns.

Considerable economic debate may be provoked by prognostication of postwar prosperity. The world will be in for decades of construction, thanks to a war of total destruction. Civilization in many parts of the world will be as run down as a neglected old clock. The desperate needs of mankind for sustenance and reasonable living—to say nothing of the desire for the refinements of life—will defy inventory.

The oldest question of aspiring but hard-put society, "What'll we use for money?" probably will prove more challenging than ever in history. The monetary setup of the world has suffered a succession of wartime blows falling just short of a complete knockout. The incalculable flow of treasure—aside from the sacrifice of human life—has left desolate deprivation.

Repair and replenishment may tax the resources of generations. War's devastation will be reflected in many handicaps to group and individual adjustment to a postwar world. In time, it is to be hoped, man's resourcefulness and the resources of nature together will provide coverage for wartime loss.

Improved living in postwar times depends largely on long-range planning for thrifty offsetting of the wasteful processes of war. Spending while the spending is good means mortgaging the struggle for survival.

### No; Cumberland Is Not a "Thirty-nine Cent Town"

IT WAS no easy task, but the big Red Cross goal of \$105,000 for Allegany county was achieved, the major portion of it, of course, in Cumberland, and the county and city again measure up to their civic and patriotic responsibilities, which they always manage to do, however difficult the task and however hampering the circumstances. It is just another cause for self-satisfaction rather than for excessive encomiums, even though the goal was a big one considering the big job done on the combined War and Community Chest drive.

This brings to mind a recent remark made at city hall to the effect that Cumberland is "a thirty-nine cent town," which has been taken in a disparaging sense, although its author was doubtless speaking in a facetious though thoughtless vein. That remark has had some rather violent reactions among the citizenry. Cumberlanders—and those of the county share it for their area, too—just don't like to have their city disparaged especially when it isn't at all deserved.

"In my opinion," says one public-spirited citizen, "Cumberland rates 100 per cent against any other city of its size; a city that 'came back' stronger than ever after the 1936 disastrous flood as well as previous and later ones of less serious nature; a city that exceeded its War Chest quota recently by thirty-three and a third per cent and then successfully followed with a Red Cross goal of \$105,000 as well as its well known reputation for progressiveness in all civic and patriotic movements. This certainly is no 'mean city.'"

Well, it certainly doesn't deserve a rating of a "thirty-nine cent town," in view of what it has done.

One of nature's oddest jokes is the fact that the olive tree—symbol of peace—originated in, of all places, the Balkans.

At the outset of the war the Nazis were drunk with victory. Now it's their cities that are plastered.

### Man, a Pinch of Sulphur

By MARSHALL MASLIN

The other fellow: I've been reading that somewhere a chemist took a man to pieces and found he was worth about 98 cents in chemicals on the present market. Of course, if prices rise a little he may get to be worth \$1.25 or maybe \$1.31—but even at that he isn't worth much and what do you think of that? Don't you feel sort of cheap?

Me: Not so you could notice it. I figure that's great.

The other fellow: How do you figure that? Here man goes swelling around the earth and boasting of his power—and all he's worth is a heap of spoiled chemicals. He swaggers about his wonderful brain and I read that all it is a pinch of sulphur—about enough to make a few matches or perhaps enough to get the fleas off a dog. . . . What's so swell about that?

Me: I admit that a pinch of sulphur isn't much, but before you start sniffing at man and his humble substance, please consider what man has done with that little bit of sulphur. Toss off his great inventions if you will. Let them go, but think of his dreams, his agonies, his ambitions. . . . Remember Newton with that pinch of sulphur deciphering the secrets of the spaces and bringing man the laws of the universe. . . . Remember Plato, Keats, Milton; remember Saint Paul and remember Abraham Lincoln. And recall Shakespeare and his inventory of man: "What a piece of work is man! How whole in reason! How infinite in faculties! In action how like an angel, in apprehension how like a god!"

The other fellow: Just a pinch of sulphur, praising itself. . . . How about that fellow Pascal who said: "What a chimera is man! What a confused chaos! What a subject of contradiction! A professed judge of all things, and yet a feeble worm of the earth! The great depository of truth and yet a mere huddle of uncertainty! The glory and the scandal of the universe!"

Me: But how extraordinary for a pinch of sulphur to rise from the earth and combine with other elements and be a part of the glory and the scandal of the universe! . . . You lose the argument. Let us say no more about that complicated bit of sulphur which is the brain of man.

## Inflation Menace Is Seen in Price And Wage Issues

By MARK SULLIVAN

Two pending questions—so closely related that in effect they are one—will determine whether cost of living is to be kept at approximately its present level, or whether a marked rise is to take place, with accompanying risk of inflation.

One question is, whether the existing price control act, expiring June 30, shall be re-enacted by Congress before that date. The other is, whether a demand by labor leaders for a general increase in wage rates shall be granted by the administration.

The controversy over these questions involves intricate and hotly disputed figures. It is carried on largely by a small number of experts, official and unofficial, including partisan advocates of interests concerned. To the public, the controversy is esoteric, but a few of the steps can be stated simply.

### Reduction Reported

1. Last week, four high administration officials having to do with wages and prices, addressed a report to President Roosevelt. They said that the cost of living during the past year has not only been held in check but slightly reduced. For this statement they cited official government figures. In giving this report to the public, Mr. Roosevelt, at a press conference, spoke in terms of endorsement of it. This is important because much of what is to be done will depend on him.

2. Labor leaders, of AFL and CIO, challenge the government figures. They denounce as a "farce" the assertion that cost of living has been held in check. They put forward figures of their own to the effect that the cost of living has risen markedly.

3. In the ensuing controversy over esoteric figures, an independent body of high standing, the National Industrial Conference Board, has taken a hand. In effect it supports the government figures. It says figures put forward by the labor leaders contains "errors in techniques, reasoning and arithmetic."

4. The labor leaders, insisting upon their figures, demand a general increase in wage rates, going above the so-called "Little Steel" standard set by the War Labor Board nearly two years ago.

The demand of the labor leaders is the key to the whole situation not only to wages but to the fate of the price control act. If the labor leaders' demand is granted, there will be a rise in wages followed by a rise in the price of manufactured goods—a rise in cost of living.

In addition to this general result, there would be an immediate and definite effect upon the attitude of Congress toward renewing the price control act and the Office of Price Administration.

Farmers Dissatisfied

Opposition to parts of the price control act, and to some policies of OPA, has come mainly from farm spokesmen in Congress. One practice of OPA, payment of subsidies for food, has been twice condemned in Congress, by large majorities. Farm spokesmen prefer that, instead of government's paying subsidies for food raised by farmers, there should be an increase in the price. They say they would prefer to get their compensation from the public, as consumers, rather than from the government, because they fear that subsidies paid by the government may be accompanied by onerous regulation.

If now the administration grants a general increase of wages to labor, farm spokesmen in Congress will increase their demand for higher

prices for food. This would endanger renewal of the price control act. On the other hand if the administration resists the demand of labor, opposition to renewal of the price control act will be less strong. Indeed the prospect seems to be that if the administration refuses to grant higher wage rates, the price control act may be renewed without serious modification.

Has Political Angle

The situation has a political angle. Farmers have long felt the administration tends to favor labor unduly. This impression would be strengthened if the administration should grant an increase in wage rates. On the other hand, refusal to grant the demands of the labor leaders would be seen as a willingness of the president to disregard political considerations.

One labor group, CIO, is officially and strongly in favor of a fourth term. (AFL does not join in this.) Indeed, CIO is perhaps the largest body of organized support for a fourth term. Through its Committee for Political Action, it is probably as well organized and financed as either of the national committees of the two political parties. At the same time, it is not necessary to assume that refusal of the president to meet a CIO demand would result in lack of support by them. Their interest in a fourth term is so strong that hardly any condition would lead them to oppose it.

Shrinking Country

From the Charleston, W. Va., Daily Mail

Ned Russell of the New York Herald Tribune reports from London that Holland, a country largely reclaimed from water, is being eaten away by the waters of the North sea and several inland lakes—thanks to its Nazi enslavers. If the Hitlerites carry their present pre-invasion plans to completion, about four million Dutch inhabitants will lose their homes and means of earning livelihoods.

German preparations call for the flooding of a 5,000-square mile area between Rotterdam and Amsterdam, west of Utrecht to the coast. The population of affected territory is being herded into the cities, most of which are safe from the danger of floods.

The project would mean the end of a dream which, by Dutch ingenuity and hard work, had been made to come true. Early in the seventeenth century, the Dutch people conceived the idea of reclaiming land by establishing a vast system of canals and dikes. It required long years of hard labor, but was finally completed to make Holland one of the most picturesque countries of Europe. Officials of the Netherlands government in London say ten years would be required to undo the destructive work now being carried out by the Germans.

So a tragedy which legend tells us was once prevented by the hand of a vigilant Dutch boy has now come to pass. Holland's inhabitants are threatened by hunger and the country itself is shrinking. When the day of settlement comes, it might be wise to give the Dutch a slice of Germany's coast to compensate for this loss.

## THE TOONERVILLE TROLLEY



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## Publication of Letters by MacArthur Is Viewed As Putting Him in a Tough Spot

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON, April 14—Gen. Douglas MacArthur, by the device of ways of present-day politics, has become a candidate for the Republican nomination for the presidency.

The publication by Representative Miller, of Nebraska, Republican, of an exchange of recently written letters which give the general's views on New Dealism and domestic affairs puts into the open something that has hitherto been obscure and ambiguous.

The general did not write just one letter but several. He maintained a correspondence with a Republican member of Congress which was related to domestic politics. The fact that Mr. Miller wrote most of the political comment and that the general agreed in phrases some of which are vague and implicit does not erase the impression of the general's deep interest in the subject matter presented to him.

Representative Miller says he met Gen. MacArthur only once. So the continued correspondence wasn't at all necessary from the point of view of answering an admirer. Also, the general discussed the question of getting more help for the Pacific. "I will be glad," he wrote, "when more substantial forces are placed at my disposition."

Violation of Regulations

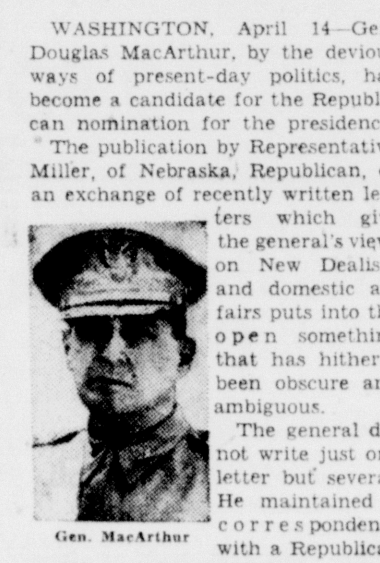
The general did say that he had no reason to believe that the prediction concerning his nomination and election to the presidency would come true, and had he confined himself to that observation there would have been little cause for criticism. As it is, the broad discussion of political and military questions in an exchange of letters with an individual who made no secret of the fact that he intended to work for the "draft" of Gen. MacArthur for the Republican nomination is a violation of the spirit, if not the letter, of War department regulations recently announced by the secretary of war concerning the political activities of members of the armed services.

It is doubtful whether any disciplinary action will be taken because the administration would be afraid of the accusation that it was, in turn, playing politics or that it was making a martyr out of the general. That would only lead to a public controversy impairing Gen. MacArthur's usefulness as our commander in the Southwest Pacific and serving no useful purpose at this time.

Reputation Necessary

But if the friends of Gen. MacArthur think that the publication of the correspondence will be helpful to the cause of the general, they are much mistaken. Unless he repudiates what has been given out and states that he not only did not authorize the publishing of the letters but that he is also in no sense a candidate, he will be regarded as devoting his time and thought to a political campaign in the midst of war. His prestige will be correspondingly reduced and, even if nominated, he would stand little chance of election.

There is one thing the American people do understand and that is the necessity of keeping our military commanders out of politics. If they



Gen. MacArthur

don't want to remain in the military service, they can resign or ask for retirement for which Gen. MacArthur is eligible. To remain on duty in the face of the letter published by Mr. Miller is going to embarrass the general. Publication of them is his only logical course.

For many months it has been reported here on good authority that Gen. MacArthur intended to speak in no uncertain terms about his alleged candidacy and that he would publicly state his position. His consent was not asked when his name was put on the Illinois ballot. The Chicago Tribune endorsed him enthusiastically and the MacArthur name was the principal one on the ballot for the presidency. He got approximately the same vote from Republicans as did well-known "Isolationists" or "Nationalists."

Misled or Misused

This does not mean that he shares their views. It does mean that the general either has been misled into thinking he has a chance to be nominated and is actually acquiescing in these tactics or else that his name is really being used to further the plans and purposes of political groups.

Lieut. Commander Stassen, of the navy, also stationed in the South Pacific, said publicly his name could be used but that he would make no statements on current subjects and that if nominated he would accept. That's a forthright declaration and well within military regulations. Gen. MacArthur has much explaining to do and his many friends in the United States hope he will adopt the course of candor rather than cynicism or political maneuvering while he holds such an important command in a theatre of war.

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## A Good Example

From the Pittsburgh Press

What can happen when there are no restraints on prices was well demonstrated over the Easter week-end by the flower business.

Under the stimulus of an unprecedented Easter demand, the prices of even the cheapest flowers skyrocketed. In some cases, the prices were five and six times over normal levels.

Retailers said the fault wasn't theirs. They blamed growers and suppliers.

But, whoever was responsible, the general public took a good burning, including thousands of service men who wanted to remember their mothers, wives, sisters and sweethearts with a floral token on Easter Sunday.

There was good reason to suspect that the tariff was upped simply because the traffic would bear it.

Flowers are not regarded as necessities by the Office of Prime Administration, so no ceilings have been imposed on the trade.

But the Easter flower prices provided a good example of what might have happened to essentials if there had been no controls at all.

Morning Motto

Trifles light as air are to the jealous confirmations strong as proofs of holy writ.—SHAKESPEARE.

## Roosevelt Defeat Is Seen Hard but Not Impossible

By SAMUEL B. PETTINGILL

Here is the dope on the eleven special congressional elections to fill vacancies since the election in November 1942. Of these, the GOP has won eight and the New Deal party three. Five of the eight Republican victories were in districts normally Republican, but, in the remaining three, Republicans gained seats. Two Democratic victories were in strong Democratic districts.

As against the result in the last regular election in 1942, the Sixth Missouri district shows a Republican gain of eight per cent; the Second Kansas, a Republican gain of eleven per cent; the Fourth Kentucky, a gain of nineteen per cent; the Second Pennsylvania, seven per cent; the Seventeenth Pennsylvania, twenty-three per cent; the Twenty-first New York, a Republican gain of fourteen per cent (the Democrats carried this district in 1942 and it continues Democratic); the Twenty-third Pennsylvania and the Thirty-second New York both Republican in 1942, continued heavily Republican in the special elections, but in each case with a Republican percentage loss of about one per cent; the First Colorado district showed a six per cent Republican gain.

Republican Loss

The Second Oklahoma district, Democratic in 1942, continued Democratic in the special election two weeks ago, with a Republican percentage loss of four per cent. The Second California district, Republican in 1942, in an election in which no Democrat ran, went Democratic last August. In that district, however, under the peculiar provisions of California law, there were two Republican candidates and their combined vote was sixty per cent, although the Democrat won. This is the only district in which the Democrats gained a seat.

In 1942, of course, there was no presidential election and it may be of interest to compare the result in the special elections with those in 1940.

Numerous Gains

As against 1940, the special election in the Sixth Missouri district showed a Republican gain of twelve per cent; the Second Kansas, a Republican gain of fourteen per cent; the Fourth Kentucky, a gain of twenty-three per cent; the Second Pennsylvania, a gain of eighteen per cent; the Seventeenth Pennsylvania, Twenty-one per cent; the Twenty-third Pennsylvania, four per cent; the Thirty-second New York, three per cent; the Twenty-first New York, twenty-four per cent; First Colorado, a Republican gain of eight per cent. In the Second Oklahoma, therefore, although the GOP lost four per cent, as against two years ago, they gained eight per cent, as against four years ago.

Although Mr. Roosevelt generally runs stronger than New Deal congressmen do in off year elections, these last figures indicate that even as against 1940, when Roosevelt ran, there has been a strong Republican percentage gain in every district except the Seventeenth Pennsylvania, where it fell off slightly, although the district went strongly GOP.

Forecasting Hazardous

Having ventured to predict heavy Republican gains early in 1942 which were justified by the event (despite the Gallup poll), I intend shortly to attempt to forecast Mr. Roosevelt's chances next November, if he decides to run for a fourth term. Forecasting this year is especially hazardous because something might happen a week before the election which would make the presidential campaign a



## Davis Soldier Weds Cumberland Girl in Kansas

Miss Mary Rita Wilson Be-  
comes Bride of Sgt.  
Leon Glenco

By HELEN COLLETT

PARSONS, W. Va., April 14—  
Announcement was made of the  
marriage of Miss Mary Rita Wil-  
son, daughter of Mrs. Regina Wil-  
son of Cumberland, Md., to Sgt.  
Leon Glenco, son of Mr. and Mrs.  
Anthony Glenco, of Davis.

The military rites were read in  
the Topeka, Kansas, army air field  
chapel on Saturday afternoon,  
April 8, with the Rev. John J.  
McCreedy, chaplain, officiating at  
the service and celebrating the  
nuptial mass.

Attendants at the wedding were  
Sgt. and Mrs. Alvin Bunker, Neen-  
ah, Wis.  
Sgt. Glenco is a graduate of Davis  
high school and entered the service  
December 23, 1942. He attended air  
mechanics school at Sheppard field,  
Texas, and gunnery school at Tyn-  
dal field, Fla.

Mrs. Glenco attended Central  
high school in Cumberland. They  
will reside at Topeka, Kansas, where  
Sgt. Glenco is a member of a heavy  
bomber plane combat crew.

## Five Seek Citizenship

Four men and one woman of  
Tucker county filed petitions for  
naturalization papers in the office  
of the circuit court clerk on Wed-  
nesday for final hearing at the  
June term of court.

The following persons were ex-  
amined by E. G. Williams of Pitts-  
burgh, Pa.: Frank Gnejek, Albert;  
Leonard Komoski, Davis; Louie  
Opas, Thomas; Philip Schlansky,  
Thomas; and Mrs. Theresa Sagace,  
Thomas.

## Stock Sale To Be Held

County Agent A. L. Kidd an-  
nounced that all farmers of this  
county interested in the pure bred  
bull and heifer sale at Jackson's  
Mill on April 20, are invited to  
attend the annual affair.

## Layton Losh Rites

Funeral services were conducted  
this week in the Presbyterian church,  
Thomas, for Layton Losh, of Pierce,  
30, who died in a Morgantown hos-  
pital following an illness of five  
years.

He was a former employee of the  
Davis Coal and Coke Company of  
Pierce and was born in Tucker  
county, October 1, 1904, the son of  
John L. and Susan Helmick Losh.  
He is survived by his parents, his  
wife, the former Clara Auvil,  
and one daughter Donna Jean, at  
home.

Two brothers, Ronald Losh, sta-  
tioned with the army in England,  
and Charles Losh, of Pierce, and  
one sister, Mrs. Marjetta Stemple,  
of Leadmine, also survive.

## Arthur Payne Funeral

Funeral services were conducted  
in the Duncan funeral home, Thom-  
as, this week for Arthur  
Payne, 59, (colored) of Coketon who  
died at the home of his brother,  
Moor Payne.

He was born in Virginia, Septem-  
ber 9, 1888, the son of the late  
Henry C. and Mildred Bowles  
Payne. He is survived by his brother  
who lives in Kempton, Md.

He had been employed for years  
as a miner for the Davis Coal and  
Coke Company of Coketon.

## Dies after Fall

Mrs. Mary Frances Knabenshue,  
of Kempton, Md., died in an Elkins  
hospital on April 13 of complications  
due to a fall she received at her  
home ten days ago. She received  
fracture of the left hip in the fall.  
She was born in Upper Tract,  
Pendleton county, January 29, 1856,  
the daughter of the late Eli and  
Julia Holiday Dolly, and is survived  
by one daughter, Mrs. Nina Duling,  
of Kempton. Her husband, John  
Knabenshue, died several years ago.

## Senior Passes Test

Miss Cecilia Ann Stalnaker,  
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil M.  
Stalnaker, of Parsons, and a mem-  
ber of the graduating class of Par-  
sons high school, received word that  
she has successfully passed her en-  
trance examination for Berea col-  
lege, Berea, Ky. Miss Stalnaker will  
graduate from Parsons high school  
in May and will enter Berea college  
in July. Miss Stalnaker received the  
DAR award for her school recently.

## Briefs and Personals

The senior class of Parsons high  
school, under the direction of Miss  
Mary Alice Frum, will present a  
three-act comedy "Hook, Line and  
Sinker," in the high school audi-  
torium during the first week of  
May.

The Youth Fellowship of the St.  
John's Methodist church will pre-  
sent a pageant, "The Beautiful  
Garden," in the church auditorium  
on Sunday evening, April 16, under  
the direction of Mrs. R. E. Hiller.  
Staff Sgt. and Mrs. James Ditow,  
of Washington, D. C., announce  
the birth of a son in the Walter  
Reed hospital on April 12. The  
mother is the former Virginia Mae  
Blizard, daughter of Mrs. Hazel  
Blizard, of Hambleton. The father  
is stationed at Fort Myers, Va.

The Rev. A. B. Mann, pastor of the  
Davis Presbyterian church, has been  
invited to deliver the annual bac-  
caurate sermon to the members  
of the senior class of Davis high  
school in the Lutheran church there

on Sunday evening, May 21, at  
7:30 p. m.

Word has been received here that  
Pvt. Everett Justice has landed  
safely in North Africa.

Ronald Griffith is spending a  
leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
John Scarford, of Hambleton, prior  
to his being sent to the army air  
corps on special assignment with  
the technical engineers. He has been  
employed in Cleveland, Ohio, for  
the past four years.

Eric Parsons, son of Mr. and Mrs.  
Marvin Parsons, of St. George, is  
spending his first leave from the  
United States Navy since Pearl  
Harbor with his parents here. He  
has been in the service for the past  
seven years.

Pvt. Eldon Plaugher, United States  
Army, Texas; Cpl. Burley Bonner,  
North Camp Polk, La., and Sgt.  
Donald Wright, are visiting their  
families in this county.

## 7 Persons

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Angeles, Calif.; Parker and William  
Wilkinson, Westport, and John  
Wilkinson, Akron, Ohio, and five  
grand children.

Members of American Legion  
Auxiliary will meet at Dixon's cor-  
ner Saturday evening at 7 o'clock  
and will go to the Moran home to  
hold services.

Funeral services will be held Sun-  
day afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at  
Trinity Methodist church, Piedmont.  
The pastor, the Rev. James L. Rob-  
ertson, will officiate. Interment will  
be in Philos cemetery.

## Marriage Is Announced

Miss Frances Gentry, daughter of  
Mr. and Mrs. Homer Gentry, of  
Westport, and John David Cus-  
ter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas  
Custer, of Westport, were mar-  
ried Sunday afternoon in the Uni-  
ted Brethren church, by the Rev. E.  
B. Caplinger, pastor.

Mrs. Bernard Kenny, Jr., and Er-  
nest Blizard, of Westport, at-  
tended them. Miss Mary Custer, a  
sister of the bridegroom, witnessed  
the ceremony.

Mr. Custer is employed at the  
Celanese. Mr. and Mrs. Custer will  
reside in Westport.

## Kite Contest Arranged

An endurance and unique kite  
contest sponsored by Boy Scouts of  
Tri-Towns District will be held to-  
morrow (Saturday) at the Lambert  
farm above Westport.

All registered scouts who have not  
attained their eighteenth birthday  
may participate. Endurance contest  
will start at 8 a. m., and unique one  
from 2-4 p. m.

Kites may be of any type heavier  
than air and must be made and  
 flown by the contestant. Awards  
will be made to winners of first,  
second and third places in both con-  
tests.

## Brief Items

The Rev. R. J. Harkins, rector of  
St. James Episcopal church, will  
lead the devotions and speak at the  
meeting of the Tri-Towns Minis-  
terial association Monday at 10:30  
a. m., at the St. James parish house.

The Rev. J. Edgar Barrick, former  
missionary to India, spoke on the  
customs of India Wednesday after-  
noon at assembly of Piedmont high  
school pupils.

Miss Eleanor Lininger, Main street,  
received word her husband, Lieut.  
Richard Lininger of the air corps  
has arrived overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Densmore,  
have received word that their son  
Pfc. Francis Densmore has arrived  
in England. They have two others  
in the service, Pvt. Gerald Dens-  
more, in England, and Corp. Law-  
rence D. Densmore in the Hawaiian  
islands.

W. S. C. S. society of Trinity  
Methodist church will meet Monday  
evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home  
of Mrs. Katherine Kight, Main  
street.

## Personals

Isaac Adams, Akron, Ohio, is vis-  
iting relatives.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Licenses to marry were issued to  
the following eleven couples yester-  
day in the office of the clerk of cir-  
cuit court:

Thomas Paul Counihan, Cumber-  
land, and Lucille Hollis, Birming-  
ham, Ala.

Edward Lee Coles and Carolyn  
Warner, Morgantown, W. Va.

Leslie George Duckworth and  
Josephine Elizabeth Sivic, Eckhart.

Clyde Edmond Beard and Mar-  
garet Jean Lashley, Akron, Ohio.

Anthony Leroy Dills, Strattonville,  
Pa., and Evelyn Jane Rupert, Clarion,  
Pa.

Alvin Theodore Nave and Mar-  
garet Lulu Miller, Bedford, Pa.

Mervin Edward Uhl, Mt. Savage,  
and Wilda Ellen Jones, Cumber-  
land.

William Henry Hauger, Berlin,  
Pa., and Ellen Leora Bulkey, Som-  
erset, Pa.

Albert Lee Friend, Oakland, and  
Alice Marie Crone, Cumberland.

## Funeral Rites Held for Child

Rev. Dixon Officiates at  
Services for Anice  
Myers, Lonaconing

By MARIE MERRBACH

LONAONING, April 14—Funeral  
services for Anice Cara Myers, 3-  
year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs.  
James Myers, St. Mary's terrace,  
were held this afternoon at the  
home.

The Rev. Thomas R. Dixon, Jr.,  
pastor of the First Presbyterian  
church, officiated. Pallbearers were  
Rose Marie Stakem, Phyllis Valen-  
tine, Eleanor Abbott and Evelyn  
Robertson. Burial was at Laurel  
Hill cemetery, Moscow.

## Robert Moses Dies

Robert Moses, Douglas avenue,  
died this morning. He had been in  
failing health. He is survived by a  
daughter, Mrs. Adeline Dickinson;  
a son, Robert Moses, and two grand-  
children. His wife, Mrs. Viola  
Barnes Moses, has been deceased  
several years.

## Eastern Star Is Host

Martha Washington Chapter No.  
10, Order of the Eastern Star, was  
host to the Past Matron and Past  
Patron Association of Western  
Maryland on Friday evening.

"The Garden of Hope," an elabo-  
rate ceremony on the Resurrection,  
was presented by the full corps of  
officers. Mrs. Mable Kemp Durst  
sang "The Wondrous Cross".

Mrs. Sarah E. Dawinger, of Cum-  
berland, is the president of the Past  
Matrons. Hillary Lancaster, of  
Frostburg, is vice president of the  
association and Frank E. Smith is  
associate grand patron of the Grand  
Chapter of Maryland.

Mrs. Mildred Cross is matron and  
Robert McGibbon patron of the  
Martha Washington chapter.

## Brief Mention

The Ladies' Bible class of the  
Presbyterian church will hold a sil-  
ver tea on Tuesday, April 18. A  
program is being planned by the  
committee. Miss Marie Worgan  
chairman, and Mrs. Edna Brown  
and Mrs. Charles Miller. A maypole  
dance will be a special feature. A  
play will also be enacted by people  
from Barton.

Adam Thompson Rebekah Lodge  
No. 11 will celebrate its forty-sixth  
anniversary on Wednesday evening,  
April 19, at the International Order  
of Odd Fellows hall. The program  
will begin at 7:30 o'clock. Refresh-

ments will be served. The lodge  
will hold a social on Saturday night  
at 8 o'clock at the I.O.O.F. hall.

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Snyder's Potato Chips 6-oz. bag 23c  
Sioux Bee Honey 1b. jar 29c  
Rob Ford Corn Starch 5-lb. box 7c  
ASCO Baking Soda 1b. box 4c  
Paper Baking Cups pkgs. 9c  
Prim Pastry Flour 5-lb. bag 27c  
Morton's Table Salt 28-oz. pkg. 7c  
Farmdale String Beans No. 2 can 12c  
Seedless Raisins Sun-Maid 15c  
Kellogg's Corn Flakes 18-oz. pkg. 12c  
Gold Medal Wheaties 8-oz. pkg. 11c  
Rob Ford Rice 2-lb. box 23c  
Van Horn's Cocoa 4-oz. can 20c  
Princess Gloss Starch 1b. box 7c  
Sweetheart Toilet Soap 3 cakes 20c  
Woodbury Facial Soap 3 cakes 20c

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gal. can 49c

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**TOILET SOAP**  
3 cakes 20c  
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CLEANER**  
quart bottle 15c  
**OLD DUTCH  
CLEANSER**  
2 cans 15c

**IVORY SOAP** med. bar 6c  
**IVORY SOAP** 1 lb. bar 10c

## Lonaconing Personals

Pvt. Wilson Cook returned Thurs-  
day to Camp Kelly, Texas. He was  
here to attend the funeral of his  
father, Hugh Cook.

Pvt. Richard Meets, son of Mr.  
and Mrs. Dewey Meets, is home on  
furlough from Fort Jackson, S. C.  
Pvt. James P. Gowans has been  
assigned an A. P. O. number, care  
of postmaster, New York, N. Y.

Gustave N. Frizzell, A.O.M.2-C,  
Floyd Bennett field, N. Y., returned

after a visit with his parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. F. N. Frizzell.

Pvt. Harold W. Moyer has been  
moved from Camp Grant, Ill., to the  
personal replacement depot, Camp  
Reynolds, Pa.

Sgt. Raymond Elchhorn has re-  
turned to Camp Gruber, Okla., after  
spending a furlough with his moth-  
er, Mrs. Martha Elchhorn, and  
relatives.

PFC William G. Kroll has been  
assigned an A. P. O. number, care  
of postmaster, New York, N. Y. He

was formerly stationed at Green-  
ville, Pa.

Cpl. Robert Love has returned to  
Camp Crowder, Mo., after spending  
leave with his wife and daughter  
and relatives.

**Anti-Rabies Vaccine  
Given to Child**

BALTIMORE, April 14 (AP)—The  
first dose of anti-rabies vaccine  
was administered to three-year-old

Berry Glass tonight after slate po-  
lice located him and his parents in  
Harrisville, W. Va., ending a  
twenty-four-hour search.

The child's parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
Raymond Glass, were enroute from  
Lubbock, Texas, to Catonsville, a  
suburb of Baltimore, unaware that  
the dog which had bitten Berry ten  
days ago was rabid.

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**0—Grandma's Molasses** 1 pt. jar 22c  
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**Ranger Joe** 6 1/2-oz. pkg. 10c

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**EXTRA SPECIAL Betty Jane APPLE BUTTER** 7 pts. per jar 19c  
**IVORY SNOW** 1 lb. pkg. 23c



# Operetta To Be Presented At Corriganville School

## "The Kitchen Clock" Will Be Given in Social Hall on April 21

An operetta entitled "The Kitchen Clock" will be presented by the pupils of the Corriganville school at 8:30 o'clock April 21, in the social hall, under the direction of the home room and music teachers.

The production is a musical make-believe in a prologue and one act takes place in a dimly lighted kitchen, sometime between midnight and dawn. The kitchen clock portrayed by Darline Fleegle, is discontented with life, and complains bitterly over his constant work. The tea kettle, Lou Ann Burkett, and other friends, feeling sorry for the clock, undertake to give him a good time.

However, the cook, Louise Barnard, loses the key and neglects to wind the clock, which runs down and narrowly escapes being taken by the rag-tag man, Lord Getson. The clock is finally saved by his friends who find the key and wind him just in time, and the clock is glad to go back to work.

Approximately 100 children are taking part in the production. Among the principal ones, besides those already named, are Night Lady portrayed by Shirley Lohr; the dust pan, Emory Turner; the broom, Danforth Linaburg; the stew kettle, Eugene Stuckey; and a feather duster, Doris Hardin.

One chorus will be the "sleepy children" who are promised to be shown strange sights by the night lady when they are asleep. There will also be choruses of gnomes and elves; "shadow people" and "rag-tags."

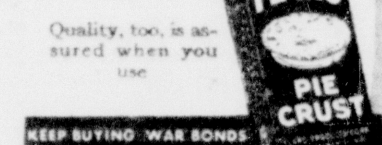
## Surprise Entertainment Will Feature Dance

A surprise entertainment with novelty games and prizes will feature the weekly dance sponsored by the Catholic Girls Central high school this evening at the St. Patrick's Social Center, from 8 to 11 o'clock.

Mary Horn, Betty Joy, Catherine Daugherty, Mary Lou Kaufman, Catherine Kelley and Violet Turano comprise the committee of arrangements.



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## IN COLLEGE PLAY



Miss Betty Gowland

## Betty Gowland Will Appear in College Play

### Local Girl Has Speaking Part in State Teachers College Comedy

Miss Betty Jane Gowland has a speaking lead in the musical comedy, "Athapastical," being presented by the members of the Little Theater group, Glee club and Maryland Singers of Frostburg State Teachers college. It will be given at 8:15 o'clock April 25 in the college auditorium under the direction of Prof. Maurice Matteson, head of the music department.

Miss Gowland takes the part of Miss Abigail Shodgrass, the neighborhood gossip. Miss Shodgrass is always found near people of whom she doesn't approve. The daughter of Frederick Gowland, 48 Boone street, this city, Miss Gowland is a member of the 1942 graduating class of Port Hill high school. While at Port Hill she was a member of National Honor Society, Dramatic club and was on the staff of the school paper.

The production, written by Miss Mary Grace Rollins and Miss Isabelle Devine of Westminster, and Miss Maxine Agnew, Frostburg, deals with the entertainment of the soldier returning from World War I. The first scene takes place upon his return; the second in the twenties; and the third at a night club of today.

## Mary Lawler Resigns As President of Woman's Sport Club

Miss Mary Lawler resigned as president of the Woman's Sport Club at the meeting last evening at Central Y. M. C. A. and Miss Eleanor Gerkins will take office as president at the next meeting.

Plans were made for a dessert-bridge to be held at 7 o'clock April 28 at the All Ghan Shrine Country Club. When a special entertainment will be presented.

Miss Kathleen Diehl, Mrs. Margaret Burch and Mrs. Mary Louise Grimm were appointed the committee in charge of the party. An invitation was received from the Junior Volunteer Service Corps to attend the moving picture to be shown at 8 o'clock April 21 at the Center Street Methodist church for the benefit of the Red Cross.

## Events in Brief

The Junior Volunteer Service Corps will hold a subscription luncheon at 1 o'clock Tuesday at the Cumberland Country Club with Mrs. Charles Catheman in charge.

The Mount Royal Parent-Teacher Association will meet at 7:30 o'clock Monday evening and elect officers for the year. Mrs. Margaret Carroll, special teacher of music in Cumberland schools, will present, "Music in the Life of Your Child."

The Past Councilors Club will meet at 7:30 o'clock Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Gertrude Tensyl, Hyndman.

The Junior Music and Arts Club of Bowling Green will meet at 1 o'clock this afternoon at the home of Barbara Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Johnson.

LaVale Brownie Troop will meet at 1 o'clock this afternoon in the firemen's hall.

The Intermediate Youth Fellowship Group of Centre Street Methodist church will sponsor a skating party in the basement of the recreation hall from 1:30 to 4 o'clock this afternoon. All children are invited to attend.

A 500 card party will be held for the benefit of the Bedford Road Fire department and community hall at 8:15 o'clock this evening at the home of J. A. Wiant, Valley Road. Construction on the building will begin Tuesday Mr. Wiant said, as the deed was obtained yesterday.

Alaska and Russia are separated by only fifty-six miles of open sea.

**Attention K. of C.**  
Special meeting Sunday night at 8 P. M. to take action on the death of our late Brother Leo F. McKnight.  
GEORGE F. McDERMOTT, Grand Knight.  
Attest: JOHN T. CREGAN, Secretary.

# Western Maryland CAP Has Dinner and Dance

## Lieut. Col. Hyde Discusses Training Program To Promote Flying

The first party of the Western Maryland Squadron, 331, Civil Air Patrol given last evening in the form of a dinner and dance at the Cumberland Country Club was described by Maryland Wing Commander Lieut. Col. Arthur C. Hyde, Washington, D. C., as one of the best the command has ever held.

Discussing the new airport, Col. Hyde said, "It is an excellent field and Cumberland is fortunate to have such a fine airport." He also expressed a hope to see it completed soon. It was at Cumberland, Col. Hyde reminded, that he learned to fly twelve years ago, having chosen it as the nearest and best place. Discussing the co-ordinated training program he said the command will continue it to promote flying.

Capt. Arthur Lyem, commander of Western Maryland Squadron, presided at the dinner which was attended by approximately fifty guests, including members of the wing staff and private parties, fifteen guests from Baltimore and fifteen from Washington, besides several from Westminster and Hagerstown.

Maj. E. J. DeVore, flying in from Kansas City, accompanied by Lieut. M. M. McMinimy and Capt. Richard R. Simpson, son of Rear Adm. Simpson, arrived after dark and made the first blind-fly landing made at the new airport.

Among the out of town guests were Capt. E. E. Blakeley and Capt. H. W. Clarkson, of the army air corps liaison office Baltimore; Capt. Charles Basehoar, Capt. Jacob Pfeiffer, Baltimore; Lieut. A. V. Tedmore, Frederick and other members of the wing staff accompanied by their aides.

A cabaret-style dance with music until 1 o'clock by Jimmy Andrews and his orchestra followed the dinner. Lieut. Theodore Carlson and Lieut. Wade L. Berg were co-chairmen of arrangements.

## Mount Royal P-T.A. To Elect Officers At Monday Meeting

Officers for 1944-45 will be elected at the regular meeting of the Mount Royal Parent-Teacher Association next Monday night at 8 o'clock at the school.

A nominating committee has selected the following candidates: Eugene May, president; Mrs. Arline Canfield and Mrs. Lester Millerson, vice-presidents; Mrs. Ernest McCullough, secretary, and Mrs. Joseph Boden, treasurer.

Mrs. Margaret W. Carroll, special teacher of music in Cumberland schools, will give a demonstration of how music is taught to sixth-grade pupils.



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## GOP Women Raise \$175 at Card Party

Approximately \$175 was raised by the Republican Women's Club of Cumberland at the card party held Thursday evening at the Queen City Hotel, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Paul M. Fletcher.

Over fifty tables were in play and five special prizes besides thirty-six other awards were given. Awards at bridge were given to fourteen women and three men and at 500, thirteen women and six men.

Assisting Mrs. Fletcher were Mrs. Morgan C. Harris, Miss Beattie Harrison, Mrs. William Strickler, Miss Virginia Free, Mrs. Alva Davis, Miss Flavielle Percy, Mrs. Jennie Lancaster, and Mrs. James Morris. A bake sale was held under the chairmanship of Mrs. Harry Anderson and Miss Ida Miller, assisted by Mrs. David Steele, Mrs. Jessie White, Mrs. C. F. Schaefer, Mrs. James Orr, Mrs. Eleanor Burrows and Mrs. Mary Bachman.

The regular monthly May meeting will be held in the form of a dinner-meeting with Mrs. Harris chairman of arrangements. It will be held May 18 and reservations should be made with Mrs. Harrison by May 16.

## Music Contests Slated At Local High School

The Junior Musicians Competitive Festival will be held under the sponsorship of the Maryland Federation of Music Clubs today at Alleghany and Fort Hill high schools, with Mrs. Richard W. Trevasis as general chairman.

The vocal and orchestral instruments will be judged by Mrs. Francis Jackson, Baltimore, from 9 to 12 o'clock at Alleghany high school. Following the morning session luncheon was served by the ladies of the host church under the chairmanship of Mrs. Alex Cross. Seventy-five members attended, including thirty from Cumberland, with twenty-four from First church and six from Southminster.

# YuHoodi Club Will Give Card Party on May 9

## Funds Will Be Used To Buy Cigarettes for Hospitalized Servicemen

The YuHoodi club will hold a party May 9, to raise funds to purchase cigarettes for servicemen hospitalized. It will be held at the Odd Fellows hall, South Main street, beginning at 8 o'clock. Committees were appointed at a meeting of the club Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Paul Thompson, 426 Central avenue.

## MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER HELD FOR RECENT BRIDE

Miss Dorothy Reinhardt entertained in honor of Mrs. Paul Joseph Rensie with a miscellaneous showerer Thursday evening at her home, 608 Green street.

The former Miss Cirilia Margaret Nierman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis E. Nierman, 700 Sylvan avenue, and Paul Joseph Rensie, machinist mate, Norfolk, Va., son of Mrs. Leonard Jewell, 400 Holl street, were married January 24.

The bridal motif was carried out in the decorations and the gifts were arranged upon a table beneath a white crepe paper shower umbrella. A pastel color scheme was carried out in the decorations of the refreshment table which was centered with a bouquet of yellow jonquils. The place cards were in the bridal motif.

Cards featured the entertainment of the evening with Miss Margarita del Valle and Miss Marie King winning the awards.

## Spring Registration

Miss Nellie Powell, principal, LaVale school, announces the spring registration for all prospective grade children will be held April 20 and 21 at the school between 3:30 and 5 o'clock.

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53¢ lb.	25c lb.

Fresh Ground Beef	Veal Shoulder Chops
lb. 28c	lb. 29c

Fresh Pork Sausage	Tender Kroscut Steak
lb. 33c	lb. 39c

EZ Cut Hams	Bacon Squares
Ready to Serve lb. 37c	lb. 17c

Longhorn Cheese	Clover Spring Butter
lb. 35c	lb. 48c

Allsweet Margarine	2 lbs. 47c
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No. 2 can 13c	can 10c

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# Glorifying the Vegetable Plate

By CHARLOTTE ADAMS  
AP Food Editor

Having trouble getting meat? Or maybe there just aren't enough points to have meat as often as you'd like. Vegetables can make a whole, thoroughly satisfactory meal—especially now that spring is here and the variety available is greater. When you serve a meal composed entirely of vegetables, be sure that you get into it plenty of body, as well as the color which you couldn't avoid if you wanted to, and which makes vegetable meals so eye-appealing.

Body can be added to a vegetable meal by means of potatoes, of which we've raised seventy per cent more this year than last.

We must use these potatoes up. But we mustn't bore our families in the process. Boiled potatoes, day after day, are grounds for divorce. But there are hundreds of ways to "do" potatoes. Try some.

Serve potatoes scalloped with onion. Bake them, and break them open, and stuff them. Do more than just mix them with milk and seasonings for that stuff. Put bits of leftover meats into them, or some chopped chives, or a dash of precious grated cheese. A stuffed baked potato can offer your family many a happy surprise if you'll use a little ingenuity and the dribs and drabs from your refrigerator.

**Bulk Provisions**  
You can also, of course, provide the bulk in a vegetable dinner by means of rice or one of the macaroni pastes. Either of these takes kindly to the bright red of the tomatoes you'll often want to get into the menu. If you brown your rice in fat before you boil it, it'll even have a touch of color all its own. And if you can get hold of green (spinach) noodles they, by themselves, do a lot to pep up the appearance of a meal.

Do unusual things with the green vegetables you serve, too. In the illustration accompanying this article there's a spinach loaf. Did you ever think of fixing such? It's so easy—and it's so much more attractive than just spinach in a bowl.

**Spinach Loaf with Creamed Mushrooms**  
2 pounds spinach  
1/2 pound or 1 1/2-cup mushrooms  
2 tablespoons flour  
1/2 cup milk  
1/2 cup butter  
1/2 cup onion  
1/2 cup salt  
Wash the spinach carefully through many waters. Remove any heavy stems. Cook, covered, eight to ten minutes in a heavy pot with only the water which clings to the leaves after washing. Drain. Mix with French dressing (recipe follows). Turn out onto serving platter and shape into loaf with indentation in the top. Trim sides with hard-boiled eggs and fill center with creamed mushrooms.

**Creamed Mushrooms**  
Melt the margarine in a saucepan. If fresh mushrooms are used, peel and stem them and make a mushroom broth of the stems and peelings. If canned, drain, reserving liquid. Brown mushrooms in melted fat. It takes about five minutes. Remove mushrooms and blend flour into margarine. Add milk and mushroom liquor and cook, stirring constantly, until thickened and smooth. Season with a dash of grated nutmeg. Return mushrooms to the sauce and reheat before pouring into spinach loaf.

**French Dressing**  
1 teaspoon dry mustard  
1/2 teaspoon sugar  
1/2 cup mild vinegar  
1/2 cup plus 2 tablespoons salad oil  
1/2 cup salt  
Mix vinegar and dry ingredients thoroughly. Pour oil in slowly, beating continuously with a fork. This dressing keeps well in the refrigerator.

## Blueberry MUFFINS

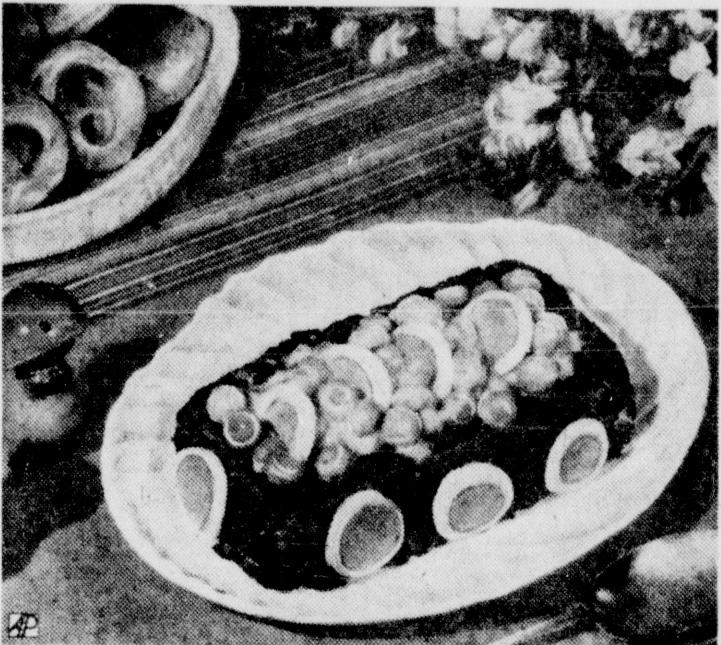
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SPINACH LOAF: Creamed mushrooms add the glamor

## Mrs. Ella Smith

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taken up wholly with his private business affairs.  
The election board members appointed officers of registration where vacancies occurred and arranged for the registration of voters and the primary election, to be held April 24 and May 1, respectively.

## Marriage Is Announced

A pretty wedding was solemnized Saturday night, April 8, at 8 o'clock when Miss Mary Betty Landon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Landon, Jr., became the bride of Pvt. Arnold H. Tibbs, United States Army. The marriage took place in the home of her parents at Mt. Lake Park. The bride was given in marriage by her father. The groom's best man was William Landon, III, brother of the bride. Attendants were Mrs. Richard Roy and Miss Virginia Killius. The Rev. Reece Burns of the Bethel Methodist church officiated. Mrs. Tibbs wore a suit of powder blue with accessories to match. The groom wore the regulation army uniform.

Pvt. Tibbs will return to the Valley Forge hospital, Phoenixville, Pa., where he has been a patient following active combat service in North Africa and other theaters of war. Mrs. Tibbs will go to Hagerstown where she is temporarily located.

## Married in Parsonage

Miss Margaret A. Bittinger, daughter of Mr. Amelia C. Bittinger, and the late Burchard H. Bittinger, Oakland, became the bride of Mr. Lee J. Bernard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee McComas Bernard, of Mt. Lake Park, on Saturday, April 8, at 3:30 p. m.

The ceremony was performed in the parsonage of the Zion Evangelical Lutheran church, Accident, the Rev. C. P. Dauphin, pastor of the church, officiating.

Miss Lucille Thomas and Carlton Bittinger, nephew of the bride, were the only attendants. The bride was attired in a navy street-length dress with navy accessories and wore a shoulder corsage of pink rosebuds. The couple left on a brief wedding trip.

**Personals**  
Mr. and Mrs. Otis Kessel, announce the birth of a daughter at Memorial hospital, Cumberland, Monday. Mrs. Kessel was formerly Miss Katherine Lewis.

The Rev. and Mrs. Cecil Richardson and son left for Pennsylvania to attend a convention of the Church of the Assembly.  
Mrs. Noah Swick remains seriously ill at her home.  
Cpl. and Mrs. Garnett Keplinger, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana,

who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Keplinger, Maysville, returned yesterday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Kessel, Maysville, a son in Potomac Valley hospital, Keyser, yesterday. Miss Emily Muntzing, Akron, Ohio, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Muntzing, Maysville, has returned home.

## Barton W.S.C.S.

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George of Barton, Mrs. Bertha Klepstein and Mrs. Mary Klepstein, Lonaconing, and Mrs. Nellie Duckworth, Washington, D. C.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

## Honored at Party

Mrs. Catherine Creutzburg was honored with a party by the Eastern Star at the close of the meeting Monday. Mrs. Creutzburg has served as secretary of the order for the past twenty-three years. She was presented with a gift and a corsage. William Hyde made the presentation.

## Personals

Sgt. William J. Hadley has arrived safely somewhere in North Africa, according to word received by

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39c lb.	35c lb.	28c lb.	27c lb.

his wife, the former Catherine Gannon.

Frank Truly, Jr., seaman second class, is visiting his wife and family after completing his boot training at Bainbridge.

Mrs. John Kirk, Akron, is visiting relatives and friends here.

Pvt. Walter Griffith is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Griffith.

Cpl. Frank Metz, Camp Hunter, Ga., is spending a furlough with his father, Mr. George Metz.

Cpl. Ralph Hartman is visiting his mother here.

David Kirk, Akron, is visiting relatives and friends here.

Lieut. Adis Arnold has arrived safely somewhere in England, according to word received by his father, Harmon Arnold, Sr.

Cpl. Robert Inskeep, Oklahoma, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Inskeep, Sr.

James Howell, whose leg was fractured while working in the mines here sometime ago, has had the cast removed and is improving nicely.

## Church Groups

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charge of the devotionals and Miss Martha Kiser, superintendent of the Church School will discuss "Social Work in China."

## Seek WAC Recruits

The personnel of the WAC recruiting station Cumberland, will be at the Corwin hotel, Tuesday to enlist women for the women's army corps. It was announced by Lieut. Hazel M. Johnson today. It is suggested that any interested women contact Miss Eva Keplinger, 18 Port avenue, for literature on the WAC.

## Circles Will Meet

The Women's Circles of the Presbyterian church are scheduled to meet on Tuesday evening at 7:30 with the following members:  
No. 1, Miss Jean Emily Frost,

Sharpless street. No. 2, Mrs. William MacDonald, Mineral street; No. 3, Mrs. Homer Host, 37 West Piedmont street; No. 4, Miss Sallie Johnson, South Maine street; No. 5, Mrs. Ellen Neill, Potomac State school; No. 6, Mrs. Charles Miller, Orchard street and No. 7, the home of Donald Brazel, 104 Mozelle street on Monday evening.

## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Siever of

Charlotte, North Carolina, are visiting relatives in Keyser.

Miss Penimah Goldworthy who teaches in Fort Ashby high school is attending the State Classroom Teachers' Leadership Conference in Parkersburg. While in Parkersburg Miss Goldworthy will work in the

interest of the classroom teachers' council which meets in Keyser next October.

William J. Moran of Piedmont is a surgical patient and Gary Allen Willis, Oakland, is a medical patient in Potomac Valley hospital.

Mrs. Andrew Mann of Thomas is visiting her son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mann.

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Fresh Pork Sausage lb. 39c  
Hickory Smoked Sausage lb. 39c  
Fresh Pork Side lb. 29c  
Ring Pudding lb. 28c  
Pork Liver lb. 21c  
Braunschweiger lb. 40c  
Liver Cheese lb. 40c

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Lunch Meat, 1 pt. lb. 33c



# Weekly Church Services

## Methodist

### Centre Street Methodist

"Easter Resurrection" will be the sermon subject of Dr. Walter Martin, minister, at 11 a. m. worship service tomorrow. At 7:30 p. m. the minister will speak on "The Power of Christian Service." The Rev. William A. Rosenberger and the congregation of First Presbyterian church will take part in this service. Church school meets at 9:45 a. m. with classes for all age groups. The Youth Fellowship group meets at 7:30 p. m.

### Grace Methodist

Virginia avenue at Second street, the Rev. Charles M. LePew, minister—church school, 9:30 a. m. morning worship, 11 o'clock, sermon by Dr. Charles Wentworth of Philadelphia, topic, "The Sanctuary in Your Own World." At 2 p. m., a memorial service for Ronald Kewer, member of Grace church who was killed in action in Italy. No singing service.

### Central Methodist

The Rev. Lee Houdy Richerich, minister—church school, 9:45 a. m. morning worship, 11 o'clock, sermon by Dr. Charles Wentworth of Philadelphia, topic, "The Sanctuary in Your Own World." At 2 p. m., a memorial service for Ronald Kewer, member of Grace church who was killed in action in Italy. No singing service.

### Emmanuel Methodist

Hunting street, the Rev. R. L. White, minister—church school, 9:45 a. m. morning worship, 11 o'clock, sermon by Dr. Charles Wentworth of Philadelphia, topic, "The Sanctuary in Your Own World." At 2 p. m., a memorial service for Ronald Kewer, member of Grace church who was killed in action in Italy. No singing service.

### First Methodist

Bedford street, the Rev. George E. Reagin, minister—church school, 9:45 a. m. morning worship, 11 o'clock, sermon by Dr. Charles Wentworth of Philadelphia, topic, "The Sanctuary in Your Own World." At 2 p. m., a memorial service for Ronald Kewer, member of Grace church who was killed in action in Italy. No singing service.

### Trinity Methodist

128 Grand avenue, S. B. Neel, minister—church school, 9:45 a. m. morning worship, 11 o'clock, sermon by Dr. Charles Wentworth of Philadelphia, topic, "The Sanctuary in Your Own World." At 2 p. m., a memorial service for Ronald Kewer, member of Grace church who was killed in action in Italy. No singing service.

### Kingsley Methodist

The Rev. H. A. Koster, S. T. D., minister—church school, 9:45 a. m. morning worship, 11 o'clock, sermon by Dr. Charles Wentworth of Philadelphia, topic, "The Sanctuary in Your Own World." At 2 p. m., a memorial service for Ronald Kewer, member of Grace church who was killed in action in Italy. No singing service.

### Calvary Church

Ridgely, W. Va., Robert L. Greynolds, pastor—church school, 9:45 a. m. morning worship, 11 o'clock, sermon by Dr. Charles Wentworth of Philadelphia, topic, "The Sanctuary in Your Own World." At 2 p. m., a memorial service for Ronald Kewer, member of Grace church who was killed in action in Italy. No singing service.

### Barton First Methodist

The Rev. J. J. Moore, minister—church school, 9:45 a. m. morning worship, 11 o'clock, sermon by Dr. Charles Wentworth of Philadelphia, topic, "The Sanctuary in Your Own World." At 2 p. m., a memorial service for Ronald Kewer, member of Grace church who was killed in action in Italy. No singing service.

### Flintstone Methodist Circuit

The Rev. B. P. Hartman, minister—church school, 9:45 a. m. morning worship, 11 o'clock, sermon by Dr. Charles Wentworth of Philadelphia, topic, "The Sanctuary in Your Own World." At 2 p. m., a memorial service for Ronald Kewer, member of Grace church who was killed in action in Italy. No singing service.

### McKendree

229 North Centre street, Ramsey Bridges, minister—church school, 9:45 a. m. morning worship, 11 o'clock, sermon by Dr. Charles Wentworth of Philadelphia, topic, "The Sanctuary in Your Own World." At 2 p. m., a memorial service for Ronald Kewer, member of Grace church who was killed in action in Italy. No singing service.

### Cumberland Circuit

Joseph W. Young, minister—Fairview church, 9:30 a. m. morning worship, 11 o'clock, sermon by Dr. Charles Wentworth of Philadelphia, topic, "The Sanctuary in Your Own World." At 2 p. m., a memorial service for Ronald Kewer, member of Grace church who was killed in action in Italy. No singing service.

### Baptist

First Baptist—212 Bedford street, the Rev. E. H. W. Baker, pastor—9:30 a. m., church school, 11 a. m., morning worship, 7:30 p. m., evening worship.

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Bethel Church of the Nazarene  
Baltimore's Addition, Valley road, the Rev. J. H. Parker, pastor—Sunday school, 11 a. m.; preaching, 3 p. m.

First Baptist  
312 Bedford street, Rev. L. Henthorne B. D., pastor—Bible school, 9:45 a. m.; morning worship and Love's Supper, 10:45 o'clock, sermon, "Spirit versus Law," youth meeting, 6:30 p. m.; evening worship, 7:30 o'clock, sermon, "Baptism of Religion."

Bethel Gospel Tabernacle  
21 Greene street, the Rev. George A. Jeffrey, pastor—Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m.; young people's meeting, 6 p. m.; evangelistic services, 7:45 p. m.; Evangelists C. A. Barnfield speaking at both services and every night next week.

Church of the Nazarene  
Potomac Park, pastor, the Rev. A. Lester Lingley, pastor—Sunday school, 11 a. m.; morning worship, 11 a. m.; preaching, 11 o'clock, sermon, "The Call of the Anointed"; 7:30 p. m., evening prayer and sermon.

Church of the Brethren  
Poster M. Bittinger, pastor—10 a. m. church school; 11 a. m., morning worship, 10:45, morning worship and sermon subject, "Easter, an End or a Beginning"; 2 p. m., Vespers from WTBO, sermon subject, "On the Service End"; 7:30, evening worship and sermon, subject, "Standing Straight"; the Hi-Y of the Beal High school will be guests.

Frostburg Church of the Nazarene  
Corner Center and Charles streets, the Rev. Leonard L. Wright, pastor—Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.; divine worship, 10:45 a. m.; N.Y.P.S. meets at 8:45 a. m. evangelistic service at 7:30 p. m. services begin Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. preaching each night.

Barton Church of the Nazarene  
The Rev. Leonard L. Wright, pastor—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; 2 p. m. service at 2:30 p. m.; prayer and praise at 7:30 p. m.

St. Peter's Episcopal  
First Sunday after Easter, 11 a. m. the Holy Communion and sermon.

Emmanuel Church  
16 Washington street, the Rev. William A. Rosenberger, pastor, 10 a. m. church school service at 8 a. m. and morning prayer and worship at 11 a. m. conducted by the Rev. Henschel O. Miller of the Church of St. Michael and All Angels, Baltimore who will deliver a sermon at the 11 o'clock service.

Presbyterian  
Washington street, the Rev. William A. Rosenberger, pastor, 10 a. m. church school service at 8 a. m. and morning prayer and worship at 11 a. m. conducted by the Rev. Henschel O. Miller of the Church of St. Michael and All Angels, Baltimore who will deliver a sermon at the 11 o'clock service.

First Presbyterian  
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## Former Resident Of Clarysville Drowns Overseas

Pvt. Leonard Leroy McKenzie, 22, Is Taken by Death

By RUDOLPH NICKEL

FROSTBURG, April 14 — Pvt. Leonard Leroy McKenzie, 22, who formerly lived on the Vale Summit road near Clarysville, has been drowned somewhere overseas, according to a telegram from the War Department to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McKenzie, Baltimore.

Pvt. McKenzie, who was attached to an army refrigeration unit, stated in his last message, that he was stationed in England.

Before moving to Baltimore with his family to engage in defense work two years ago, Pvt. McKenzie was a truck driver here. He was a member of Frostburg Lodge No. 348, Fraternal Order of Moose.

Besides his parents, he is survived by the following brothers and sisters: Francis, Amelie; Mrs. Genevieve Lapp, Harry McKenzie and Mrs. Mary Atkinson, all of Frostburg; and Edna, Eugene, Irvin, Alice, Mildred and Helen, all of Baltimore, and Anna Mae McKenzie.

All of his Frostburg relatives left yesterday for Baltimore to be with his parents.

## Masonic Lodge Holds Past Master's Night

Following the regular business meeting of Mountain Lodge, No. 99, A. F. and A. M., last evening, Charles McFarland, worshipful master, turned the lodge over to former worshipful masters, who conducted the ritualistic work of the master's degree in the presence of the largest audience of Masons assembled at the local Masonic Temple for many years. The occasion was "past master's night."

Past masters who occupied the principal stations and the year they served as master of the lodge were: Alvin O. Cook, 1928; Oliver W. Simons, 1923; R. H. Lancaster, 1924; Walter E. Jeffries, 1931; J. Stanley Hunter, 1941; Thomas H. McMoran, 1939; William W. Downey, 1912; Joseph L. Evans, 1942; H. H. Griffith, 1929; Harry C. Hitchens, 1921 and John B. Metzger, 1922.

Other past masters who attended and took minor parts in the degree work were: F. Earl Krietzburg, Alex C. Giese, Andrew Nelson, L. Grant Eitkens, J. Harry Hanson and Jonathan Sleeman.

Neighboring lodges were represented at the meeting as follows: John T. Clark, Clare F. Connell, Frank Durst and Edward S. Hill, Pittsburgh; LaPorta Oates, Fred Garner, Albert Beck and Wayne Reed, Westernport; Grant Weibel, J. C. Watkins, Harold Bell, Oudert Poling, J. H. Brown and Harold Bloom, Cumberland; and the Rev. George E. Lamphere, West Warwick, Rhode Island.

Reference was made during the evening at the lodge was the oldest fraternal order in Frostburg, having been established in 1854. It was not disclosed whether the nineteenth anniversary would be observed in any special manner during the year. Following the business meeting, refreshments were served by a group of ladies from Mountain Chapter No. 15, Order of the Eastern Star.

## Frostburg Briefs

Pattady Post No. 24, American Legion, will hold a special meeting Sunday, 2 p. m., at Legion hall, Mechanic street, to hear a report from the membership committee.

The April "Health for Victory" meetings will be featured by new recipes for range and refrigerator and a movie on "Proper Care Means Long Wear." The movie is designed to help how to care for their household appliances. The schedule of meetings is as follows, April 17, 7 p. m., Potomac Edison Club; April 19, 2:30 p. m., Canteen Corps Club; April 19, 7 p. m., Shop and Save Club, and April 20, 7 p. m., Consolidation Coal Club.

The Ladies Social Club of the Fraternal Order of Eagles will hold a business meeting and social hour Monday evening, April 17. The committee consists of Alberta Wellings, Albert Miller, Nell Kennedy and Loretta Whetstone.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Minnick, Hazel, entertained Monday evening with a miscellaneous shower in honor of their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ralph Minnick, who was the former Miss Lillian Wolford. About thirty guests attended.

## Frostburg Personals

Pvt. Clare Snyder, Fort Knox, Ky., is here the guest of his cousin, Miss Winifred Green, Mt. Pleasant street.

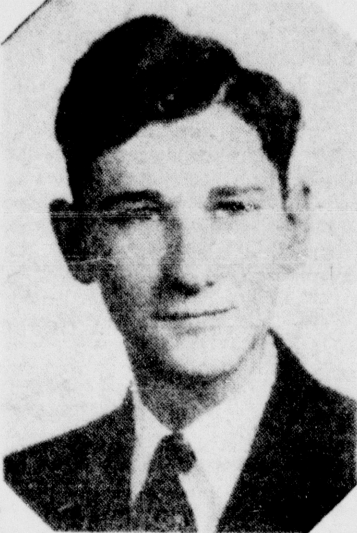
Mrs. Bessie Quinlan, Washington, D. C., is here the guest of Mrs. John Miller, East Mechanic street.

Mrs. M. E. Paugle and son, Lorraine Paugle, Baltimore, have returned home after visiting Clayton Pfaff, this city, and Mrs. Michael Hummerson, Eckhart.

Pvt. Thomas E. Gall, who came here from Miami Beach, Fla., for a fifteen-day furlough, left this week for Lincoln, Nebraska, where he will be attached to an army air field.

Thomas Lewis, Eckhart, who is critically ill, underwent a surgical

## STAR OF MUSICAL



Aden G. Lewis

FROSTBURG, April 14 — A former winner of the Phi Omicron Delta scholarship award of State Teachers college, Aden G. Lewis will take a prominent part in the musical comedy, "Athapastical" to be presented Tuesday evening, April 25, at State Teachers college, this city. He will play all the musical accomplishments in the first and third acts. In the second act he will appear with Miss Louise Wilson in an exhibition waltz, and in the third act he will play Hazel Scott's arrangement of "Boogie Woogie." He is a graduate of Beall high school, and a son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Lewis, 64 McCulloh street.

## Barton W.S.C.S. Gives Program

By DONALD WILSON

BARTON, Md., Apr. 14 — The regularly monthly meeting of W. S. C. S. of Barton Methodist church was held in the church school Thursday evening. Gertrude Broadwater, president, had charge of the devotion. The program included a birthday skit in honor of the pastor's wife, Mrs. L. H. Moore.

The room was decorated in pink and white and two lovely birthday cakes adorned the tables. The hostesses for the occasion were Nina Sutherland, Marie Sutherland, Minnie Metz and Vada Metz.

After the meeting plans were made for serving of luncheon to the ministers and wives when the district meeting is held in the Barton Methodist church the latter part of the month.

## Surprise Party Held

A surprise party in honor of Eleanor Warnick was held at the home of Frederick Kyle Monday evening. Games were played and refreshments were served. Twenty-four persons attended.

## Mrs. Duckworth Dies

Mrs. Elizabeth Duckworth, 65, wife of Frank Duckworth, died suddenly at her home here this morning from a heart attack.

Besides her husband she is survived by the following brothers and sisters:

John Crawford, Douglas, W. Va., (Continued on Page 7, Col. 3)

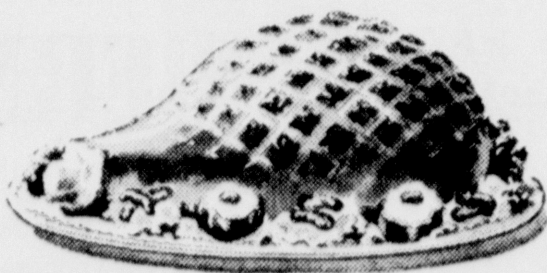
operation today at Memorial hospital, Cumberland. His son, Pvt. Irvin A. Lewis, was summoned from Camp Croft, N. C., on account of his father's illness.

Mrs. Elizabeth Sires, 165 Spring street, left yesterday for the Great Lakes naval training station, Chicago, to visit her son, Raymond A. Sires, ASU 6, a patient at the station hospital.

Pfc. Samuel P. Pfaff, who recently spent a seven-day furlough at his home here, was awarded a good conduct and a marksmanship medal.

Donald "Syd" Hanna, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pearre Hanna, Beall street, who sustained severe lacerations of the right foot Saturday evening, is improving.

Pvt. George O. "Bub" Sweitzer, Key West, Fla., is home on a fifteen-day furlough, the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Sweitzer, Borden shaft.



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## Health Picture Will Be Shown To P-T.A. Group

By MRS. J. C. SNYDER

PAW PAW, W. Va., April 14 — Mrs. Lee Goldsborough, Shepherdstown, a member of the woman's field army, will show a health picture at the meeting of the Paw Paw P-T.A. Monday night at 7:30 o'clock.

## Woman's Club Meets

The annual spring dinner of the Paw Paw Woman's Club was held at the Lark Inn, April 8 with eighteen members present. The following officers were elected at a short business meeting.

Mrs. J. N. Clark, president; Mrs. R. E. S. Taylor, vice president; Mary Morrison, recording secretary; Hulda Gross, corresponding secretary; Mrs. O. C. Clark, treasurer.

Miss Winifred Spring was in charge of the program which consisted of a piano solo by Mrs. Adam Grimm; reading by Mrs. Arthur Janke; vocal duet, by Mesdames C. L. Gordon and W. S. King; Mrs. George Sponseller, Martinsburg, member of the state federation was a special guest of the club and gave an informative talk on the Scholarship committee.

## Party for Sailors

Bobby Hurrell, Roland Taylor, William Larkin, and Eugene Herman were hosts at a party given by Mrs. Margaret Larkin, Monday evening. Following a movie, dancing was enjoyed and refreshments served at the Lark Inn. Classmates of the boys were honor guests.

## Personals

Local men leaving last week for induction into the armed forces were: Everett Kline and Roy Miller, navy; Walter McKee, James Norton and Henry Bailey, army.

Mrs. J. C. Snyder and Anna Kaylor are able to be out again after being ill with the mumps.

"Bud" Norton spent a few days furlough with his father, Mrs. Norton returned with him and will spend some time near his camp. Servicemen home on furlough are Belmont Bradford and Ray Sirbaugh, the latter has been in the service for three years.

Mrs. Henry Hudson is visiting relatives in Alliance, Ohio.

Mrs. Ray Robinette and son James, Cumberland, were guests of relatives here for several days.

Sgt. LaMar Frye who was called home by the serious illness of his mother-in-law, Mrs. James Hogbin, will return to Camp Herrington, Kansas.

Mrs. J. W. Garrett was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Great-house, Flemington, W. Va.

Mrs. M. F. McCabe and daughter Julia spent the Easter holidays in Pittsburgh with Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Reed.

Misses Fannie and Kizzie Hiett, North River Mills, were guests of relatives here over the weekend.

Students spending the Easter holidays here were Margaret Hott, Potomac State School, Keyser; Constance Bevan, West Virginia university, Morgantown, and Eileen Cadigan, Allegheny Hospital School of Nursing, Cumberland.

Mrs. Wilbur Smith and son spent several days with Mrs. T. J. Larkin. Sam Lyons Jr., has enlisted in the navy and will leave to begin training Sunday.

J. W. Kerns and family, Green Spring, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Snyder, Thursday.

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## Coach Cavanaugh Has Baseball Rebuilding Job at Fort Hill Hi

"Bubbles" Whiteman Is Lone Holdover Regular; Outdoor Practice To Start Monday

Coach "Bobby" Cavanaugh faces a rebuilding job at Fort Hill high school this spring as he has only one regular from last year's championship baseball club back in the fold.

The Sentinels reported for the first time Thursday afternoon and will begin actual practice Monday. It was announced last night by Mentor Cavanaugh.

The only first-stringer available is Don "Bubbles" Whiteman, third baseman. About ten other boys among the thirty-seven candidates were on the squad last season but only a couple of them saw actual service with many dropping off before the campaign opened.

Shelley, Durbin Back With spring football practice still in full swing, Cavanaugh said he expects eight or ten others to turn up when the grid drills wind up, probably next week.

The Sentinels coach said the field is not in the best of shape and he expects a squad of a dozen boys to work on the diamond yesterday and today. Cavanaugh also ordered the pitching candidates to get in some warmups over the weekend.

Robert Shelley and Tevis Durbin, both outfielders, appeared in several games last year as pinch hitters while Catcher Eddie Siebert

and Pitcher Ronald Armbruster acted as a battery in batting practice but may step up to regular assistance this spring.

Others with experience include Vernon Penner, first sacker who dropped off the squad early last season; Carl Mahoney, an infielder, and Melvin Mease and Donald Mason.

### Campers Report Monday

The Sentinels will play eight games in the Bi-State Interscholastic conference, meeting Allegany, LaSalle, Hyndman, (Pa.) high and Beall in home-and-home engagements. In addition, Cavanaugh has scheduled a clash with Alumni for April 28. The Sentinels are tentatively booked to meet a faculty combination May 16. Several other tilts may be arranged later, Cavanaugh stated.

Fort Hill, with eight of ten conference battles last season and shared the title with LaSalle. The Sentinels and Explorers also tied for the city championship.

The Explorers, again tutored by Brother Austin, are working out at Community park in preparation for their conference opener against Beall at Frostburg on April 28.

Allegany's candidates are slated to report to Coach Walter L. "Bill" Bowler on Monday.

## EXHIBITION BASEBALL

### Reds Blank Indians

DAYTON, O., April 14 (AP)—With pitcher Alva Bradley and Roger Peckinpaugh looking on, the Cleveland Indians were shut out 4 to 0 by the Cincinnati Reds here today in the third of five pre-season meetings. It was the fifth straight defeat for the Indians and the seventh in eight exhibition games this spring.

Elmer Riddle, star Cincy hurler who is expected an early service call and Bob Katz, a rookie, held the Tribe to three hits.

CINCINNATI (AP)—... 100 000 100-4 8 0 CLEVELAND (AP)—... 000 000 0-0 3 2 Riddle, Katz (7) and Lakeman, Just; Rouse, Kennedy (6), and Devin.

### Red Sox Top Braves

BOSTON, April 14 (AP)—Boston's Red Sox came from behind in the ninth inning today to defeat their hometown rivals, the National League Braves, 6 to 5, in the first of a three-game city series.

After Johnny Lazor had singled as a pinch hitter and Ford Carson had walked, and with two out, Bob Johnson poked a long double into the right-center field corner to score the tying and what proved to be the winning runs.

Al Javery, the Braves' ace, limited the Sox to one run and six hits, all singles, in seven innings.

BOSTON (AP)—... 000 010-6 11 3 BOSTON (AP)—... 000 010-6 11 3 O'Dell, Ryba (4), Hausman (7) and Parker Javery, Carder (8), Lindquist (8) and Kluge.

### Senators Win 8-2

WASHINGTON, April 14 (AP)—Three batters by the first two Washington hitters up, George Case and George Myatt, gave the Senators a lead they never relinquished to finally win, 8 to 2, today over Buffalo, of the International League.

Buffalo was unable to score until the seventh.

The victory offset the Senators' Thursday shelling at the hands of a coast guard outfit.

BUFFALO (AP)—... 000 000 110-2 6 3 WASHINGTON (AP)—... 000 010-8 11 3 Case, Myatt and Dunning; Wolf, George, Farrell and Guerra.

### A's Rally To Win

CURTIS BAY, Md., April 14 (AP)—Bob Newsom, in working clothes for the first time this year, weakened in the third inning and allowed the Curtis Bay Coast Guard four runs today, but the Philadelphia Athletics pulled the game out of the fire with a four-run rally in the ninth to win 8-5.

Don Black, who succeeded Newsom on the mound, pitched well and made three hits. His double started off the big ninth.

Hank Sauer hit a home run off Newsom in the fourth.

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—... 000 004-8 15 0 CURTIS BAY (AP)—... 000 010-5 10 3 Newsom, Black and Hayes; Kerr, Peterson and Tolson.

### Cards Defeat Browns

ST. LOUIS, April 14 (AP)—Despite home runs by George McQuinn and Vernon Stephens, the Cardinals defeated the Browns today, 3 to 2, in a game called after five innings because of rain.

McQuinn and Stephens hit their homers on successive pitches served up by Mort Cooper in the first inning. Gene Moore then smashed a single off the pitcher's foot and he left the game after completing the inning. Harry Brechen finished and stopped the Browns with one out.

Harry Gumbert, the Cardinals' veteran right-hander, disclosed he had received orders from his Houston, Tex., draft board to report for pre-induction examination.

ST. LOUIS (AP)—... 000 21-3 6 1 ST. LOUIS (AP)—... 000 21-3 6 1 Cooper, Brechen (2) and O'Dea, Kramer and Hayworth.

### Phillies Bow 5 to 4

WILMINGTON, Del., April 14 (AP)—The Philadelphia Phillies dropped a 5-4 decision to the Toronto Maple Leafs via the home run route here today.

John Zontini hit a 423-foot inside homer off Lefty Al Gerheuser in the first inning. A free agent named Charlie Rippel was on the mound

for the Phils in the seventh when Jim Grudiz hit for the circuit with a man on base. Ron Northey hit one with Buster Adams aboard in the Phils' half of that inning.

TORONTO (AP)—... 100 000-5 6 2 PHILADELPHIA (AP)—... 001 100 200-4 5 9 Ananiev, Mustakis and Williams; Geisbauer, Rippel, Mussil and Binley.

### Chisox Shade Cubs

CHICAGO, April 14 (AP)—Skeeter Webb's ninth inning single off Bill Fleming with the bases loaded drove Tony Cuccinello home with the winning run today as the Chicago White Sox beat the Cubs 3-2.

It was the Sox's third win over the Cubs in four games of the spring series.

CHICAGO (AP)—... 000 100 100-2 5 1 CHICAGO (AP)—... 000 200 001-3 7 1 Wyse, Fleming (8) and Easterwood, Grove, Maltzberger (6) and Turner.

### Yanks Win in Tenth

BROOKLYN, April 14 (AP)—A 410-foot home run by Shortstop Oscar Grimes, who batted only 150 for the New York Yankees last season, brought the world champions a 7 to 5 10-inning victory over the Brooklyn Dodgers in an exhibition baseball game today.

The blow, struck off Curt Davis, followed a single by Don Savage, rookie third baseman, in the first of the tenth.

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### Tigers Whip Pirates

MUNCIE, Ind., April 14 (AP)—Elvin (Preacher) Roe, the Arkansas lefthander tentatively slated to pitch the Pittsburgh Pirates' pennant race opener against St. Louis next Tuesday, was blasted for nine hits today as the Detroit Tigers defeated the Pirates, 7 to 2, in the final exhibition at the Bucs' camp.

The Pirate rookie had almost perfect control, but Steve O'Neill's boys cut loose with some savage slugging toward the finish. Rudy Roy twice drove the ball out of the park, each time with one aboard.

PITTSBURGH (AP)—... 100 000 001-7 2 2 DETROIT (AP)—... 010 000 002-7 9 0 Roe and Camelli; Gorsica, Overmire (6) and Bitt.

### SENIOR GRIDDERS TOP ALLEGANY ELEVEN, 12-0

The Allegany high varsity dropped a 12-0 battle to the Seniors in a game yesterday afternoon that brought spring training to a close for the West Side footballers.

After a scoreless first half, the Seniors racked up six points in the third quarter on Walter Davis' touchdown and crossed the Allegany's goal again in the final round with Jimmie Hines totting the mail. Both teams used the "T" formation.

### HEMSLEY WILL JOIN YANKEES ON TUESDAY

NEW YORK, April 14 (AP)—New York Yankee pennant hopes took another spurt today with the announcement from President Ed Barrow that Catcher Hemsley will join the club in Boston Tuesday for the opening of the American League season.

Hemsley previously had insisted he was going to stay on his Vienna, Mo., farm and retire from baseball. Last year he appeared in sixty-two games and hit 239 as understudy to Bill Dickey.

### A's Key Players Get Pre-Induction Notice

WILMINGTON, Del., April 14 (AP)—Southpaw Pitcher Al Gerheuser and Infielder Ray Hamrick, two key players in the Philadelphia Phillies' plans for 1944, today received notice to report for pre-induction examinations on April 20.

JAMAICA SCRATCHES FIRST RACE—Tedious Nine. SECOND—See Twenty-nine. FOURTH—See Air. Track fast.

## Carroll Widdoes To Have Charge Of Buck Gridmen

Last of Massillon Greats To Coach Team; Brown Goes to War

By HAROLD HARRISON COLUMBUS, O., April 14 (AP)—Carroll Widdoes completed today a three-year climb from an assistant high school football coach to mentor of one of the nation's largest colleges—Ohio State University.

Widdoes, 41-year-old son of missionary parents who still are in the Japanese-occupied Philippine islands, was named to guide the Bucks while Lieut. (JG) Paul Brown is in the navy.

### Last of Massillon Quartet

The new coach is the last of four who came to Ohio State from Massillon in 1941 at a time the Buck gridiron fortunes were at a low ebb and skyrocketed the Ohioans into the nation's top-ranking team in just two seasons. Wartime calls to service, however, wiped out what had been described as the most promising squad in history and last year's team, consisting of 17-year-olds and 4-Fs won only three of nine games.

"I'm naturally pleased," Widdoes said today of his appointment. "We're going to do our best to keep going under the same policies advanced by Paul Brown. Under the existing circumstances it's going to be a tough job but we're going to do our best."

### Born in Philippines

Widdoes was born in the Philippine islands and came to this country when he was 13-years-old. He attended Otterbein college at Westerville, O., where he won letters in basketball, football, track and baseball. He became a junior high school coach at Massillon in 1926 and in the fall of 1934 was made assistant football and basketball coach at the senior high school.

The new coach said he had not heard directly from his parents since November, 1941. From indirect sources, however, he said he had learned they were interned by the Japs for eight months but then were released to live at the United Brethren mission.

Widdoes said the three other members of the Ohio State staff would continue on their present assignments—Paul Bixler coaching the ends, Fritz Kuehler the tackles and Ernie Godfrey the guards and centers. Widdoes will handle the backs in addition to his supervisory duties.

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## Martin Selects Yanks and Cards On a Wild Guess

Yanks Have Good Pitching, Redbirds' Losses Not Too Heavy

By WHITNEY MARTIN NEW YORK, April 14 (AP)—The golfers say: "Miss 'em quick," so that's the policy we'll follow in trying to figure the major league pennant races this year, giving us no chance to study the line of the putt too long and change our 4-P mind.

The St. Louis Cardinals to win in the nation, and the New York Yankees in the American.

### Reds and Nats Second

Anyway, here's our lineup, as of this minute:

National League—St. Louis, Cincinnati, Chicago, Brooklyn, Pittsburgh, New York, Philadelphia and Boston.

American League—New York, Washington, Chicago, Cleveland, Detroit, St. Louis, Boston and Philadelphia.

In looking for a replay of the 1943 World Series, we like the Cardinals because they've suffered only six important player losses, still have a stout mound staff, and their replacements through their farm system figure to be better than those of most clubs.

The Yankee losses have been severe, but they still have Ernie Bonham and Spud Chandler, ace pitchers in a year when pitching looms as money in the bank. We think Bill Dickey's loss will be felt most, but Joe McCarthy on the whole has a good defensive team.

Cincinnati lost Pitchers Johnny Vander Meer, Elmer Riddle and Clyde Shoun, as well as Second Baseman Lonnie Frey, but Bill McKechnie still has a fair mound staff and the tight defensive ball promised this year is right down his alley.

Cubs To Miss Pitchers The Cubs on paper look like a strong contender, but they're bound to miss Hi Bithorn and Claude Pasneau, two fine pitchers, as well as Stan Hack, classy infield veteran.

The rest of the National League clubs seem due for a wild scramble for the fourth first-division berth, but we like them in the order named.

Washington still has Stan Spence and George Case as a nucleus, as well as a competent staff of knucklers and a catcher, Rick Ferrell, capable of handling them. The Nats might make things unpleasant for the Yanks.

Chicago is high on its White Sox, who boast some nineteen players in the 4-P category. However, many are just youngsters who may or may not cut the cake.

As in the National League, the other American League teams seem due for a scramble for the other positions. But this is the season anything might happen, so if the Braves and Phillies, picked for last places, wind up in the World Series, don't be too surprised. The whole picture might change tomorrow. It's a moving picture, no less.

Fights Thursday Night By The Associated Press Boston—Jimmy Mulligan, Lowell, Mass., knocked out John Thomas, New York, (1) light heavyweight; George (Red) Dotsy, 145, Hartford, Conn., knocked out Tommy Mullen, 145, Baltimore (1).

Richland Park, N. J.—Bernie Katz, 176, Brooklyn, stopped Joe (Butch) Lynch, 163, Plainfield, N. J. (6); Sammy Manahan, 143, Stamford, Conn., outpointed Tony Calanina, 150, Perth Amboy, N. J. (6).

Pal River, Mass.—Joe Reddick, 160, Elizabeth, N. J., outpointed Langston Dennis, 161, New York, (10); Babe Synnott, 161, Pal River, knocked out Ernie Dundee, 156, Brockton, Mass., (5).

Consistent Clubber CHICAGO, (AP)—Outfielder Guy Curtright is very consistent to say the least. In the last three years he batted 291 with three different clubs, last season with the White Sox, 1942 with St. Paul and 1941 with Shreveport.

Sindy to seaman first class in the South Pacific war zone.

Mrs. Eleanor Liniker, Westernport, received word her husband, Lieutenant Richard Liniker, Air Corps, arrived overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mansfield, Lord, received word their son Patrick, arrived at Camp Barkley, Texas.

Mrs. Isabel Baker Lynch, Eckhart, received word her husband, Pvt. George R. Lynch, has been transferred from Salt Lake City, Utah, to an army air base at Casper, Wyoming. Pvt. Lynch is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lynch. He has qualified as an aerial gunner.

Pvt. Irvin Eide, Center street, Frostburg, has been transferred from Camp Meade to Fort Knox, Ky.

Among those graduating from an intensive course of Basic Engineering training at recent service school exercises at Great Lakes was John Calvin Deetz, Jr., 23, husband of Mrs. Ann Mae Deetz, 515 Eastern avenue.

John H. Smith, husband of Mrs. Beatrice Smith, Potomac Park, was promoted to private first class February 2, his tenth wedding anniversary, and to corporal on March 19. Cpl. Smith is stationed on the Anzio beachhead.

Mrs. Dolores Sindy, 322 Race street, has been advised of the promotion of her husband, Paul T.

## Phil Cavarretta Is Dean of Cubs At the Age of 26

One of Game's Most Underrated Players Due for Fame

CHICAGO, April 14 (AP)—Phil Cavarretta, regarded by his Chicago fans as the most underrated player in baseball, appeared headed for his due recognition this season.



# Harris Symphony Premiere Will Be Feature on Radio

Work Based on Lincoln's  
Gettysburg Address  
Is Scheduled

By C. E. BUTTERFIELD

NEW YORK, April 14. (AP)—Roy Harris' Sixth symphony, based on Lincoln's Gettysburg address and written under a commission from the Blue network, will have its premiere in the Saturday night broadcast at 8:30 of the Boston Symphony orchestra. Dr. Serge Koussevitzky.

Other music occasions include: Chicago symphony playing Shostakovich's Fifth symphony at 3 on NBC; Sail Gaston and Earl McDonald guest conducting the Philadelphia orchestra for CBS at 3:30; Blue 2 Metropolitan opera broadcast from Boston, "Faust" Gov. Saltonstall presiding at intermission "victory rally"; another radio revival of "The Merry Widow" in the Chicago Theater of the Air via MBS at 9.

## New Quiz Booked

A new quiz and a Trans-Atlantic Quiz, is billed for a start on the Blue at 1:15 p. m. As the name implies it will come from both New York and London, with British radio co-operating. The Here's to Youth series of NBC at 1 is being continued five more weeks, with this program to come from Palo Alto, Calif. . . . Harry von Zell is expected to proceed further on NBC at 8:30 in the planned arrangement by which he expects to take over the M. C. post when and if Ralph Edwards goes into the service. . . . The American Story, NBC at 7, now is being written by Allan Nevins, two-time Pulitzer prize winner, in the absence of Archibald MacLeish.

## Sunday Features

The Blue network is getting ready

## Saturday Radio Clock

SATURDAY, APRIL 15

Eastern War Time P.M.—Subtract One Hour for C.W.T., 2 Hrs. for M.W.T. (Changes in programs as listed due to corrections by networks made too late to incorporate.)

2:00—Musicians by Giallochio (AP)—the Men & Hoops, Prof. Frederick—CBS  
The Metropolitan Opera (5 hrs.)—CBS  
News Comment: Dance Music—mbs  
2:30—Grantland Rice and Sports—mbs  
Calling Pan-America in Concert—CBS  
Half Hour for Dancing Music—mbs  
3:00—Chicago Symphony Orchestra—mbs  
Victory F.O.B. Variety Show—CBS  
This is from Hallmark Hospital—mbs  
3:30—Philadelphia Orchestral—mbs  
The Army-Navy House Party—mbs  
4:00—Bowie Handicap at Lincoln—mbs  
Temple Topics from Cleveland—mbs  
4:30—Rupert Hughes Comments—mbs  
Dance Orchestra—mbs  
4:45—Doctors Kelly, Dr. Martin—mbs  
News: Colonel Puts on a Show—CBS  
4:50—Four America, Gals, Talk—mbs  
4:55—Archery, Dr. Martin—mbs  
Tea & Crumpets, Popular Music—mbs  
Navy Bulletin Board's Salute—mbs  
5:00—Cecilia Sargis—Talk—mbs  
Mother and Dad, Dramatic—mbs  
American Eagle Club, London—mbs  
5:05—Curt Mayberry & Vagabonds—mbs  
The Saturday Show Program—mbs  
5:10—Sustain the Army—mbs  
Quincy Howe and News Time—CBS  
Service Serenade in USO Camp—mbs  
Prayer, Angustiana and News—mbs  
5:15—People's Platform, a Forum—mbs  
The Storyland Theater Drama—mbs  
To Be Announced (15 mins.)—mbs  
5:30—The NBC String Ensemble—mbs  
The Ink Spots Negro Quartet—mbs  
Newswalk Calk Napp Quiz Show—mbs  
5:35—Religion Out of the News—mbs  
World News and Commentary—mbs  
Leon Henderson and Comment—mbs  
5:40—The American Story Series—mbs  
Lionel Barrymore as the Mayor—mbs  
Money on Round Quiz Show—mbs  
To Be Announced (30 mins.)—mbs  
5:45—Rupert Hughes Comments—mbs  
Grand Old Opry Program—mbs  
Bob Hawk & Quiz Show—mbs  
Dancing Music Orchestra—mbs  
The Music America Likes Best—mbs  
Arthur Hale's Comment—mbs  
5:50—Dancing Music Orchestra—mbs  
6:00—Aie's Irish Rose, Drama—mbs  
Groucho Marx & Variety Show—mbs  
Early American Dancing Music—mbs  
Arthur Hale with repeat—other mbs  
6:10—Edward Tomlinson's Talk—mbs  
6:15—Sentimental Tale, or Song—mbs  
6:20—Fifth of Consequence Quiz—mbs  
Inner Sanctum Mystery Drama—mbs  
Boston Symphony Orchestra—mbs  
The U.S. Kid, Drama of West—mbs  
6:25—Five Minute News Period—mbs  
6:30—National Barn Dance Show—mbs  
Saturday Hit Parade Orchestra—mbs  
Chicago's Theater of the Air—mbs  
6:35—Can You Top This Game—mbs  
Spotlight Bands, Guest Orchest—mbs  
6:40—Saturday Night's Serenade—mbs  
6:45—Quick Quiz Time, 5 mins—mbs  
6:50—Harry Wood Variety Party—mbs  
John W. Vandercook Comment—mbs  
Royal Arch Gunner Quiz—mbs  
6:55—Army Service Forces Show—mbs  
Correction Please, Quiz Series—mbs  
Nick Carter, Detective Drama—mbs  
6:58—The Grand Old Opry Show—mbs  
7:00—Fifteen Minute Talk Time—mbs  
Harry Warner and Sports Spot—mbs  
Leo Cherne and Commentary—mbs  
7:05—Late Variety With News—mbs  
News, Variety, Dance 2 hrs.—mbs  
Melodics, Dance Variety (1 hr.)—mbs

## WTBO Highlights

Saturday, April 15, 1944  
4:00 Rustle Serenade.  
4:15 News.  
4:30 Bar None Ranch.  
4:45 News.  
4:55 World news round-up (NBC).  
5:00 Dick Lohert (NBC).  
5:15 News (NBC).  
5:30 First Piano Quartet (NBC).  
5:35 Now is the Time (NBC).  
5:40 Mirth and Madness (NBC).  
5:45 News.  
5:50 News.  
5:55 Consumer's Time (NBC).  
6:00 Atlantic Spot Light (NBC).  
6:05 Here's to Youth (NBC).  
6:10 The Baxters (NBC).  
6:15 The War Telescope (NBC).  
6:20 Musicians (NBC).  
6:25 Grantland Rice's Sports Stories (NBC).  
6:30 Orchestras of the Nation (NBC).  
6:35 Pinello Race: "Bowie Handicap" (NBC).  
6:45 Rupert Hughes (NBC).  
6:50 Doctors at War (NBC).  
6:55 Stars behind the Headlines (NBC).  
7:00 Starring Curt Massey (NBC).  
7:05 Parade of Sports.  
7:10 News.  
7:15 Service Unlimited.  
7:20 The American Story (NBC).  
7:25 Noah Webster Quiz (NBC).  
7:30 News.  
7:35 News.  
7:40 Grand Old Opry (NBC).  
7:45 News (NBC).  
7:50 American Biting Quartet (NBC).  
7:55 News (NBC).

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to offer a couple of new programs on Sunday, as other network changes come into evidence.

One is World of Song at 4:30, replacing the opera auditions and using as guest singers winners of those auditions. Starting off will be Leonard Warren and Frances Geer. . . . The other new one is a transcribed series, "Yanks in the Orient," for 11:15, the first such recorded program to get a regular network birth. The recordings, made in the China-Burma area, depict American activities there.

Starting the summer run of the NBC Symphony at 5, Dr. Frank Black will return to the podium. The Shadow bids goodbye to MBS at 5:30 for the summer; so does the Cleveland symphony at 9, with Vladimir Golschmann directing.

## Serman by Archbishop

The Archbishop of York now visiting this country is to deliver a sermon on "The Cup of Peace" on the CBS Church of the Air at 10 a. m. Other talks: MBS 12 noon Reviewing Stand "Thursdays and World Peace"; NBC 1:15 p. m. Labor for Victory "Organization of Peace"; NBC 1:30 Chicago Roundtable "Policy toward Far East."

## Sunday Radio Clock

SUNDAY, APRIL 16

Eastern War Time P.M.—Subtract One Hour for C.W.T., 2 Hrs. for M.W.T. (Changes in programs as listed due to corrections by networks made too late to incorporate.)

12:30—The Paul Lavale Concert—mbs  
Trans-Atlantic Call, Exchange—CBS  
12:45—Morlan Sisters and Vocals—mbs  
The Church of the Air Sermons—mbs  
Stanley Dixon in Commentary—mbs  
1:15—Labor for Victory, Guests—mbs  
Songs & Folksong, Joseph Macrae—mbs  
To Be Announced (15 mins.)—mbs  
1:30—Chicago Roundtable—mbs  
Murray's News Comment—mbs  
Sammy Kaye's Sunday Serenade—mbs  
The Lutheran Hour—mbs  
1:45—Fifteen Minute Talk Time—mbs  
2:00—Those We Love, Dramatic—mbs  
Chaplain Jim, U.S.A. Drama—mbs  
Celebrating United Variety Show—mbs  
Pilgrim Radio Hour's Services—mbs  
2:30—John Chas. Thomas Prog.—mbs  
National Veterans Dr. Fendick—mbs  
Notes of the World: Songs Spot—mbs  
2:45—Opton Chase's Commentary—mbs  
Life of Riley and Wm. Bendis—mbs  
N. Y. Philharmonic Symphony—mbs  
This is Part Six, Tom Slater—mbs  
3:00—Official Hour by the Army—mbs  
"Hot Copy," Newspaper Drama—mbs  
Building Drummond Adventure—mbs  
4:00—Al Pearce and Gang—mbs  
Kay Armen and Singers—other mbs  
4:30—Land of the Free: News—mbs  
Andra Kostelanetz and Orchestra—mbs  
4:45—Announcement—mbs  
Abe Lincoln's Story, Dramatic—mbs  
5:00—NBC Symphony, Dr. Black—mbs  
The Gladys Swarthout—mbs  
Mary Small in a Music Review—mbs  
Green Valley U.S.A. Dramatic—mbs  
5:15—Musical Staircase—mbs  
The Shadow Mystery Drama—mbs  
5:45—Irene Rich & Her Drama—mbs  
5:50—The Calliope and Song—mbs  
The Radio Hall of Fame Hour—mbs  
CBS Sunday Theater, Drama—mbs  
Reviewing of the A.S.P.—mbs  
5:55—Great Gildersleeve, Comedy—mbs  
America in the Air, Dramatic—mbs  
Tipton Chase Second Commentary—mbs  
5:58—Dancing Music Orchestra—mbs  
7:00—Jack Benny-Mary Comedy—mbs  
Drew Pearson in War Comment—mbs  
Wm. L. Shirer and Commentary—mbs  
Old Fashioned Revival Service—mbs  
7:15—Perry Como and Song Show—mbs  
Dorothy Thompson and Comment—mbs  
7:30—The Bandwagon Orchestra—mbs  
Quix Kids and Joe Kelly M. C. mbs  
Wa the People & Guests—mbs  
8:00—Charles McCarthy, Bergen—mbs  
Star & Story, Walter Pidgeon—mbs  
The Greenfield Village Chapel—mbs  
Alexander & Mediation Board—mbs  
8:15—Andy Russell's Song Voice—mbs  
One Man's Family, Drama—mbs  
8:30—Gabriel Heatter Comments—mbs  
8:55—Five Minute News Period—mbs  
9:00—Sunday's Merry Go Round—mbs  
Walter Winchell Weekly Report—mbs  
Conrad Nagel Magazine Drama—mbs  
Cleveland Symphony Orchestra—mbs  
9:15—Basin Street and Its Music—mbs  
9:30—All About of Familiar Music—mbs  
9:45—Jimmy Fidler & Variety—mbs  
10:00—Phil Satalay & Girl Orch.—mbs  
Phil Baker Takes It or Leave It—mbs  
Listen the Women Quiz & Forum—mbs  
10:15—Good Will Prog., 45 mins.—mbs  
10:30—Bob Crosby and Company—mbs  
Guy Lombardo and Orchestra—mbs  
11:00—Late Variety with News—mbs  
News, Variety, Dance 2 hrs.—mbs  
Dance Orchestra Variety (1 hr.)—mbs

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Cooper said that the \$200 raises would go to teachers with less than five years' experience and \$300 to those with longer service. The raise, effective next September, is in addition to the teachers' bonus.

The loss of teachers in Maryland schools generally "has been appalling," Cooper declared. From June 1942 to December 1, 1943, out of a total of 5,287 teachers in the counties only 2,262 remained in their jobs.

The outlook for teachers in Baltimore county is "not only discouraging but alarming," Cooper said. "There are only fourteen Baltimore county students in the freshman class at the State Teacher's College in Towson and only nine in the Sophomore class." A total of nineteen Baltimore countians in

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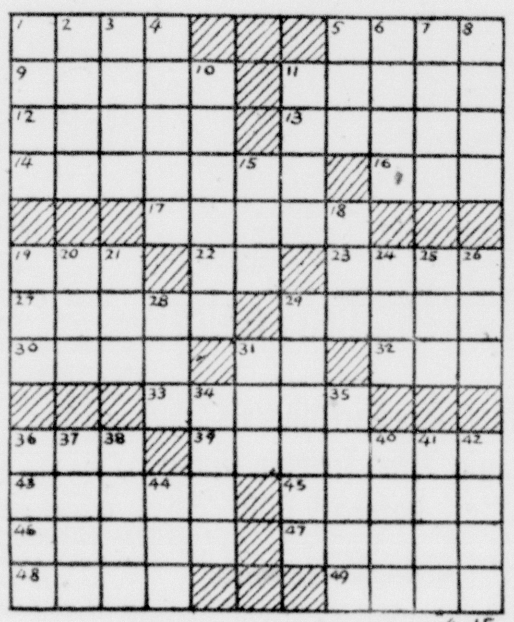
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MOSES—Robert Sr., aged 61, died Thursday, April 13th. The body is at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Dickinson, Douglas Ave., Lonaconing, where friends and relatives will be received and funeral services held Sunday at 2 o'clock. Rev. Theo. R. Dixon, pastor of the Presbyterian Church will officiate. Interment in Allegheny Cemetery. Arrangements by Durst Funeral Service. 4-13-15-NT

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BEDROOM, Centrally located. Phone 639-R. 4-9-11-W-T  
SLEEPING ROOM, 7 S. Waverly Terrace. 4-10-11-W

QUIET sleeping rooms, will serve meals. Also kitchen with daybed. 3554-R. 4-12-11-T  
LIGHT housekeeping rooms, 414 Race St. 4-13-11-T

ONE FURNISHED ROOM, 203 Paca St. 4-14-11-T  
SLEEPING ROOMS, 223 S. Mechanic St. 4-14-11-T

## 23—Unfurnished Rooms

TWO ROOMS, first floor, \$15 month, 408 Pennsylvania Ave. 4-13-11-T  
ROOMS in desirable country home; on bus lines; garden, electric, telephone. Reference. Write Box 109-A. Times-News. 4-14-11-T

## 24—Houses For Rent

LARGE HOUSE, centrally located. Can be used for apartments. Write Box 103-A. Times-News. 4-13-11-T  
FIVE ROOMS, 28 Fifth St. Apply 427 Arch St. 4-14-11-T  
FOUR ROOMS, 2 acres ground, garage, 1 1/2 miles city limit. Phone 3139. 4-14-11-T  
FOUR ROOMS, LaVale, \$15. Phone 1110-W. 4-14-11-T  
THREE OR four room furnished house. Apply Sunday, 677 Fayette St. 4-15-11-T  
SEVEN rooms, 244 Columbia St. 4-15-21-Sa-Su

## 25—Room and Board

ROOMS, meals available 428 Greene, 4-13-11-W-N

## 26—For Sale Miscellaneous

GENUINE pine oil liquid soap for scrubbing. Norman Dec, 203 Baltimore Ave. 3-26-31-T  
FURNITURE, fixtures, accounts, houses, lots, etc. Popp Music Exchange, 66 Mechanic. 3-20-31-T  
GRIP SCALES, peanut, pinball, and cigarette machines. Norman Dec, 204 Baltimore Ave. Phone 800. 3-20-31-T  
RADIO, bought, sold, repaired. Norman Dec, 204 Baltimore Ave. Phone 800. 3-20-31-T  
ASPHALT ROOFING, 1 ply 98c; 2 ply, \$1.35; 3 ply, \$1.85. Liberty Hardware, Phone 550. 9-15-11-T  
SPENCER CORSETS, individually designed. Phone 3822-M, Mrs. Alleta Allamong Luchs. 4-1-31-T-N

Maytag Parts & Service  
Wringing Rolls, All Makes  
CUMBERLAND MAYTAG CO.  
31 N. Mechanic St. Phone 848  
RADIO, bought and sold. Phone 1600. 3-22-31-T  
LIME, 50# bag 45c, 10# bag 15c, at yard. Taylor Lumber Co., 31 Potomac St. 3-25-31-T

## ORANGES

Sweet and Juicy  
Peck, Bag and Dozen  
GRAPEFRUIT, a specialty, both Florida & Texas seedless.  
NO. 1 POTATOES, \$2.49 bag; peck, 39c.  
NO. 2 POTATOES, bag \$1.49.

## HAGER'S

832 N. Mechanic Street  
(Only in the brick building)  
AUTHORIZED Hoover service. Phone 1372-J. 2-29-11-T  
EVERGREENS — Savage Garden Nursery, Mt. Savage. Phone 3376. 4-1-31-T  
VEGETABLE seeds, plants, fertilizers, seed potatoes. Zimmerly's, 129 Elder, 1544-J. 4-3-31-T  
MAINE grown seed potatoes. Irish Cobbler, Red Bliss, Katahdin, Chippewa. Liberty Hardware Co. 4-5-31-T

## THE HUB

Army and Navy Goods  
19 N. Centre St. Open Evenings  
RADIO, Apply 461 Baltimore Ave. 4-8-11-T  
ONE DRY cleaning unit with dryer and one pressing machine. Phone 1953-J. 4-8-11-T

112 RATS killed with can Schutte rat squill. Liberty Hardware, Cumberland, Richards, Frostburg. 4-12-31-T  
GRAY TRANSFORMATIONS, bobbed wigs, toupees. 3151-J. 4-11-11-T

SAVAGE washing machine with drier. Maytag gasoline motor, paint spray outfit, Allen battery, electric steam heater, set golf clubs, new gasoline table top range, coal oil range, steel ice box, steamer trunk, baby buggy and stroller, gas heating stoves, cheap. Norman Dec, across from Y.M.C.A. Phone 800. 4-10-11-T  
CONCRETE block machine. Phone 3113-W after 6 p. m. 4-11-11-T  
THREE USED sewing machines. Phone 4546. 4-12-11-W-N

## Sash and Doors

Large stock of standard sizes. We are well equipped to make special sizes. Phone 1270.

## BUCHANAN LUMBER CO.

GOOD USED steel hot air furnace. Phone 650-R. 4-12-31-T  
LADY'S two-piece all-wool dark green suit, size 20, practically new. Call 527-M. 4-12-11-T  
MILK GOATS, lead goat, and buck. Inquire at Old Mill Inn on Mt. Savage Highway. 4-12-31-T

FARM TRACTOR for sale. McCormick Deering 15-30 tractor—ideal for sawmill work, heavy orchard work, thrashing. No priority needed. Stella Motor Co. 218 S. Mechanic, Phone 2550. 4-13-11-T  
COVERED top for 1935 Ford pickup, 5 cellar frames, 3 doors, large iron kettle, 216 Valley St. 4-13-11-T

TWO USED machines, as good as new. Singer Sewing Machine Co. 4-13-11-T  
LOT in Hill Crest Cemetery. Singing Tower section. Call 312-M. 4-13-11-T  
ONE DOUBLE coal heater. Excellent condition, pipe included. Cumberland Shoe Shop, 121 N. Mechanic St. 4-14-11-T  
THOROUGHbred Jersey cow for sale. Phone 4039-P-24. 4-14-11-T

BED and SPRINGS, suitable for cottage; fernery and plants; spring coat, navy, size 12. 28 Race. 4-15-11-T  
TWO JERSEY cows. These cows will milk around 11 gallons per day. Daniel J. Hummel, 9 miles west of Frostburg. 4-14-11-T

## TRADE IN FURNITURE

Lot of kitchen chairs, ea. ... \$1.50  
Breakfast suite, black & white, 4 chairs ... \$29.50  
Breakfast suite, table & 2 chairs, white and red ... \$22.50  
Table and 4 chairs, white and black ... \$29.50  
Large white oak table ... \$16.00  
Commercial ice cooler ... \$10.00  
Many other odd pieces not mentioned here.

## SHONTER'S

128-130 N. Centre Phone 1753

## 26—For Sale Miscellaneous

EVERGREENS Ruthella Fey Phone 4019-P-21 or 2899-J. 4-14-21-T  
BRAND NEW Hoover with attachments, 425 Franklin St. 4-15-11-T  
WHITE table-top Magic Chef gas range; living room suite, good upholstery and springs; white kitchen cabinet, red trim. Potomac Furniture Co., 234 N. Centre St. 4-15-21-N  
CREAM SEPARATOR, practically new. Phone 4544-J. 4-15-31-T  
PURE BRED old fashioned shepherd, unexcelled watch dog and companion. Stanley Diehl, Bedford, Pa. 4-15-11-T  
9 PIECE walnut dining room suite. Phone 3336. 4-15-31-T

## 28-A—Florists

Funeral Flowers  
RenRoy Gardens  
LaVale Phone 3960-W  
Funeral Flowers  
BOPP'S  
75 Baltimore St. Phone 2582

## 29—Furniture, Stoves

USED FURNITURE. Millenon's, 317 Virginia. 1-6-11-T  
STOVE DOORS repaired, 208 Beall. 4-15-31-T

## 32—Help Wanted—Female

YOUNG white girl for general housework. To live out. Good wages. 817 Braddock Road. Phone 374. 4-1-11-T  
WAITRESS wanted. Apply Bauermann's Restaurant, Lonaconing. 4-9-11-T

WANTED — Experienced girl for general housework. Full or part time. Small family. Apply 812 Camden Ave. or Phone 2859-J. 4-11-11-T

COOKING and general housework. Experience, references. Room with private bath. \$12. 1025 Braddock Road. 4-12-11-T

GOOD GIRL, general housework on farm. Electric equipment. No barn work. Good wages, close town. Mrs. R. D. Webrack, Berlin, Pa. 4-12-11-T

ALL AROUND woman for restaurant work. Mrs. Robert E. Beall, 130 Harrison St. 4-13-11-T

CAPABLE girl for housework. Salary starts at \$16 week with private room and bath. Apply Mrs. Peskin, The Dingle. 4-13-11-T

MIDDLE AGED lady for housework. Write box 106-A. Times-News. 4-14-11-T

WANTED—Woman. Work 2 days week in kitchen. Call 2953. 4-14-11-T

GIRL OR woman for work in home, private room or live out. Good wages. Write Box 111-A. Times-News. 4-15-11-W

## 33—Help Wanted—Male

WANTED at our Mineral county orchard near Pinto, men or boys with work permits. Good wages, boarding camp now open. Come to orchard or call 4006-P-23 Cumberland. Appalachian Orchards, Inc., Route 3, Keyser, W. Va. 3-18-11-T

EXPERIENCED farm hand, George Barton, Pinto. 4-12-31-T  
BARBER immediately. 45 N. Mechanic. 4-12-31-T

WANTED — Boys, 16 years or older with bikes for after school work. Western Union. 4-13-11-T

## Openings Available or once for TIRE BUILDERS MILL MEN SERVICE MEN LABORERS MACHINE HELPERS Experience Unnecessary

Also Refrigerator Plant Operators  
Kelly-Springfield Tire Company  
Apply U. S. Employment Office  
Cumberland, Md.  
People Now Employed in Essential Industry Need Not Apply

WANTED: Ambitious men who are interested in becoming connected with a fast growing organization. Good working conditions, reasonable salary and splendid opportunity for advancement to those who are willing to apply themselves. Apply for interview at Southern States Cumberland Service on Tuesday April 18th between 10 A. M. and 5 P. M. only. 4-14-31-P-Sa-M

SCHOOL BUS DRIVER. Phone 4017-F-5. 4-14-31-T  
WANTED—Two men, 18 to 30, to work in Bakery. Apply 12 to 8 p. m. Schmidt Baking Co., 800 Frederick St. Mr. Packer. 4-11-11-W-N

Wanted: Man to manage local retail meat market. Must be capable of doing all buying, merchandising, advertising, etc. Give age, experience, references, and draft status. Top wages, salary and commission basis. Interview will be arranged. Write P. O. Box 178, Hamilton, Ohio. 4-14-31-T

MAN for dairy farm. Essential work, war time wages. Phone 4002-F-2. 4-14-31-T  
MAN, between 28 and 45, to manage auto accessory department. Must be experienced to qualify for steady high income position. Montgomery Ward Co. 4-15-31-T

## 37—Musical Instruments

WE BUY Your Used Musical Instruments  
Bring Them In.  
The Music Shop  
6-7 S. Liberty St. Phone 3230

## 38—Lost and Found

LOST—#3 and #4 ration books. Edgar A. McFarland, Frostburg. 4-13-21-T  
LOST — Ration book #4. Mary G. Minke. 4-14-21-T  
LOST—Keys in leather folder on Greene St. Phone 1263. 4-14-21-T

LOST — Brown billfold in front of Cut Rate Shoe Store, containing money and cards. Return 431 Columbia St. 4-15-21-N  
LOST — Light tan wallet containing money. Return Times-News Office. 4-15-11-T

## 39—Miscellaneous

BLOCK LAYING, cement work, W. A. McKinney, 148 Bedford St. Phone 3013-W, 3485. 1-28-11-T

## WELDING

All types, Acetylene and Arc  
Anything • Anytime • Anyplace  
H. S. Plumbing & Heating Co.  
Authorized Dealers in  
Airco Gases and Equipment  
128 Polk Street Phone 2040

REFRIGERATION, washer, repairs. General Repair Shop, 43 Henderson Ave. Phone 3978-R. 4-7-11-T  
LAWN MOWERS sharpened, \$1.50. Ernest Wray, Phone 923-R. 4-8-11-T  
MOSES TAYLOR, Plasterer, 5



# Governor O'Connor Names Walter C. Capper Chief Judge of Fourth Circuit

## Cumberland Attorney Will Fill Vacancy Created by Retirement of Judge D. Lindley Sloan

Walter C. Capper, 59, Cumberland attorney, yesterday was appointed chief judge of the Fourth judicial circuit, comprising Garrett, Washington and Allegany counties, by Governor Herbert R. O'Connor.

Capper, a Republican, automatically became a member of the court of appeals, the state's highest court. A past president of the Maryland State Bar Association and general counsel for the Western Maryland Railway Company, Capper was recommended by the state bar committee for the judgeship left vacant when Chief Judge Duncan Lindley Sloan, of Cumberland, was retired on Monday, April 3.

In announcing the appointment, O'Connor said he had consulted leading members of the bar, including judges from all parts of the state, before selecting Capper.

**Governor Comments**  
Commenting on the selection, the governor said:

"After giving the most thorough consideration to this important appointment, I am gratified to select Walter C. Capper. Through his appointment, the public has the absolute assurance that the high standards of our appellate court will be maintained."

When contacted by telephone last evening at the Belvidere hotel, Baltimore, by a NEWS reporter, Capper said:

"I appreciate very greatly the governor's confidence in me in appointing me to the great responsibility of being chief judge. I will do my best to measure up to it."

Chief Judge Capper will serve until the general election in November, 1946.

A native of Frederick county, Va., Capper was born near Winchester, January 5, 1885. He is a son of Mrs. Mary C. Fletcher Capper, who resides at Davis, W. Va., and the late Charles M. Capper. He was only five years old when his parents removed with their family to Davis, Tucker county, W. Va., where he grew to manhood. His education was acquired in the public schools of that locality, and when a youth of seventeen he began teaching, following that vocation for two years in West Virginia.

**Came Here from Davis**  
In his nineteenth year, Capper located in Cumberland, and took up the study of law in the office of Benjamin A. Richmond, completing his preparation for the profession at the Baltimore Law School, from which institution he was graduated in 1906.

Returning to Cumberland, he secured admission to the bar the same year, and entered upon independent practice. In 1922, following the death of Benjamin A. Richmond, Capper succeeded him as local counsel of the Western Maryland Railway Company. On June 26, 1942, he was appointed acting general counsel of the company and placed in charge of the law department in the absence of Eugene S. Williams, vice-president and general counsel, who was granted a leave of absence to enter military service. At the time of the appointment he was in law partnership here with William S. Jenkins.

**Named to Committees**  
He served as attorney to the Board of Allegany County Commissioners from 1911 to 1914, inclusive, and also from 1938 to 1942. A member of the American Bar Association and the American Law Institute, Capper was appointed by the late Governor Albert C. Ritchie as a member of the Land Law Commission and Governor O'Connor named him on the State Tax Revision committee and on the Committee of the Judiciary Article of the Constitution.

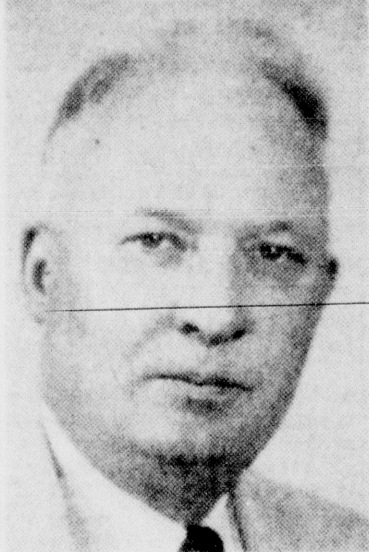
The newly appointed chief judge is also a member of the Cumberland Country Club, the Maryland Club and the Merchants Club, both of Baltimore, Cumberland Lodge No. 63, B.P.O. Elks and Cumberland Lodge No. 271, Loyal Order of Moose. He is an honorary member of Fort Cumberland Post No. 13, American Legion, and Cumberland Vulture, of the Forty and Eight Society.

In July, 1911, Capper was united in marriage with Miss Eleanor Cook, of this city, daughter of the late James A. Cook. Mr. and Mrs. Capper have one child, Mrs. Eleanor H. Dawson, wife of Edgar J. Dawson, Jr., of Philadelphia. The Cappers reside at 502 Washington street.

## Income Tax Office Will Be Open until Midnight

Richard J. Stakem, internal revenue division chief, announced yesterday that the local internal revenue office will be open today until midnight, the deadline for filing Declarations of Estimated Tax for 1944.

Since most returns are prepared in five minutes or less, few persons have had to stand in line, attaches said, in spite of a constant stream of taxpayers all week.



**NEW CHIEF JUDGE**—Walter C. Capper, well known Cumberland attorney, yesterday became the chief judge of the Fourth judicial circuit through an appointment made by Governor Herbert R. O'Connor. He automatically becomes a member of the Maryland Court of Appeals. A Republican, Capper succeeds former Chief Judge D. Lindley Sloan, who was retired on April 3.

## Golden-Rossell Property Is Sold To Baltimore Men

### Distillery To Be Enlarged; Operations Will Begin Immediately

The Golden-Rossell Company distillery and apple orchard, located near Picardy in Allegany county, have been sold to Archer I. Schweizer and Hubert Lynch, Baltimore liquor distillers, and will be reorganized for immediate operations. Edward J. Leon, of the law firm of Rigby, Leon and Weill, New York City, announced last night. He said total consideration, including improvements, will be about \$100,000.

**Purchase All Stock**  
A contract with the stockholders and directors of the Golden-Rossell Company was signed Tuesday in New York. Leon said, adding that the assignment of the property will be filed today in circuit court.

Schweizer and Lynch have purchased all the stock in the company, the New York attorney related, and he said that Trump as trustee and the Citizens National Bank of Berkeley Springs, W. Va., have been paid \$10,526.36 to cover the balance due on the deed of trust, trustee's fees, interest to date and other expenses.

**To Enlarge Distillery**  
The present 28,000 gallon distillery will be doubled in capacity, according to present plans, and a cold storage plant will be installed. The brandy produced will be sold through national distribution channels.

Leon said the new owners expect to offer steady employment to between thirty and forty persons. Spencer Rossell, he added, will be retained as general manager of the business.

The property contains 15,000 acres of land and 28,000 producing apple trees with 21,000 of them more than twenty years old.

## Picture of Local Soldier Appears in Red Cross Paper

A picture of Corp. Russell D. Dawson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel M. Dawson, 106 Paca street, appears in a recent issue of the "Red Cross at His Side," which was distributed in the Red Cross War Fund drive. Mrs. Dawson picked up the paper Thursday afternoon and while looking through it saw a picture of her son. He was standing with helmet on, a cup of coffee in one hand and the other into a basket held extended by an American Red Cross girl.

Corp. Dawson has been stationed in England for the last eighteen months and is a member of Company G of the Twenty-ninth infantry.

## Receive Awards

Outstanding Service gold pins in recognition of their efforts to help Cumberland motorists keep their cars running have been presented by Pontiac Motors to Roy L. Durrett, service manager, and Joseph M. Self, parts manager of Spoer's garage here.

## Trout Season Will Open at 6:30 Today

Closing Hour Is 9 p. m.; 6,000 Trout Planted in Seven Streams

Hours for fishing during Maryland's trout season which opens today and closes July 15, will be 6:30 a. m. to 9 p. m. Eastern War Time. Joseph A. Minke, regional game warden, announced last evening. The hours are the same as last year, he said, in answering numerous inquiries from anglers.

Evitts creek is Allegany's No. 1 trout stream. Sixteen hundred trout have been stocked there. A total of 4,400 trout have been stocked in Garrett county streams, namely, Savage river, Bear creek, Puzzly run, Salt Block, White Rock and Cherry Creek, the latter a tributary of Deep Creek Lake, which is closed to all fishing except for the period from July 1 to November 30.

Deep Creek Lake is primarily a bass stream but trout may be taken from July 1 to July 15 as a result of overlapping seasons. After July 15, however, only bass and other fish, except trout, may be taken from the lake.

## Results of Second Price Survey Are Good, Smith Says

### Most Merchants Correct Overcharges Willingly, Workers Report

Although 262 posting violations and 298 price violations were reported in the second OPA price control survey conducted April 3 to 11 by price panel representatives of War Price and Rationing Board No. 231, results of the survey were, in general, good, Charles G. Smith, chairman of the price panel, announced yesterday.

Representatives of the price panel praised the attitude of Allegany county merchants, saying at least two-thirds of the merchants corrected overcharges immediately when the violations were called to their attention.

Among price violations reported were nineteen cases of overcharge on chuck roast, thirty-two reports on tomatoes and twenty-six instances of overcharge for oleomargarine.

Of the 262 separate posting violations, forty stores failed to post the class of the store while twenty-nine did not display a community price list and seventy-two failed to have grocery prices marked.

Sixty per cent of the 166 stores included in the survey had not been checked in the first survey which was held in March, Smith added.

Twenty-seven of the stores were in full compliance while 139 others violated OPA regulations in one or more instances, Smith announced. There were few indications of willful violations, workers added.

Class IV stores, in full compliance during the first survey, were included, and one Class III store, when checked, received a perfect score. Twelve Class II stores and 153 Class I stores were included.

## Carl C. Robbins Is New Manager Of Gas Company

### Gerald E. Wilson Promoted to Superintendency in Pittsburgh

Carl C. Robbins, general foreman of the Pittsburgh group of the Manufacturers Light and Heat Company since 1936, has been appointed district manager of the Cumberland and Allegany Gas Company, with headquarters here.

Robbins, a native of Lisbon, Ohio, succeeds Gerald E. Wilson, district manager here since August 15, 1943, who has been promoted to the position of assistant superintendent of distribution for the Pittsburgh group of companies.

In his new position, Wilson will have supervision over eight companies of the Manufacturers Light and Heat group in five states, including the Cumberland and Allegany Gas Company.

Robbins has had long experience with the Manufacturers Light and Heat. He is a veteran of the First World War, is married and has two children, a boy and girl.

The changes became effective on April 1.

## William Paca Lodge To Show Army Films

William Paca Lodge No. 1689 will show a group of army films to its members this evening at 8:30 o'clock in the club room of the lodge, 810 Baltimore street.

The United States Signal Corps films are being made available by Tech. Sgt. Clarence Biehn, army recruiter.

## Welfare Board Seeks To Regain Assistance Funds

### Asks Permission To Sell Property of Late Frederick Brant

A suit asking that the court pass a decree for the sale of the real estate of the late Frederick P. Brant at Corrigansville, was filed in circuit court yesterday by the Allegany County Welfare Board, seeking to regain funds paid to Brant as old age assistance.

The suit was filed against Brant's widow, Mrs. Laura Brant, now residing in Minneapolis, Minn., and their children and grandchildren, Emma Brant, Cumberland; Chester Brant, Baltimore; Laura and Albert Brant, Minneapolis; and Herman Brant, out-of-state resident.

According to the bill of complaint, Brant applied to the welfare board for old age assistance and in the period from March 1936 to June 1942 received \$1,305.30.

At the time of his death on July 4, 1942, the welfare board, through its attorney, Horace P. Withworth, Sr., states, Brant owned a parcel of land and a dwelling at Corrigansville which is now unoccupied.

Brant died without leaving a will, left no personal estate and no administrator was ever appointed, the Welfare board states.

According to the Annotated Code of Maryland, Withworth pointed out in the bill of complaint, the amount of old age assistance paid shall be allowed as a preferred claim against the estate and prior to all other claims and expenses.

The suit was entered by the Welfare board for itself as well as for all other creditors of Brant who will come in an contribute to its expenses, and in the bill of complaint Withworth pointed out that by selling the property payment of Brant's debts can be made in accordance with their legal priority.

## Neff Is Acquitted Of Motor Charges

### Youth Receives Suspended Fine for Fishing during Closed Season

Frank Neff, 744 Maryland avenue, was found not guilty of charges of driving under the influence of liquor and of reckless driving after the prosecuting witness failed to appear at the hearing before Magistrate Oliver H. Bruce, Jr., in trial magistrates court yesterday.

Attaches at trial magistrates court said the prosecuting witness was indicted into the army Thursday.

Neff was arrested late Monday evening by Officers John G. Powers and Thomas J. See after they were told his car struck a parked car on Maryland avenue.

Homer H. Linn, 477 Goethe street, was fined \$5 and costs by Magistrate Perdew yesterday on a charge of exceeding fifty miles an hour on Route 50 east of this city. He was arrested Saturday by Trooper Milton G. Hart.

Charged with fishing during closed season, Charles Gross, 17, of 54 Elder street, was fined \$10 and costs after he pleaded guilty, yesterday to a charge of fishing in Evitts creek on March 18, but Magistrate Perdew later suspended the fine.

Charges were preferred by Battle Mixon, deputy game warden.

## Calvary Church Will Conduct Layman's Service Sunday

L. H. Mott, Davis, W. Va., will speak on "Men's Place in the Church," at the layman's service to be held in Calvary Methodist church in Ridgeley, tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock, according to an announcement made yesterday by the Rev. Robert L. Greynolds, pastor.

Ralph Koelzer will preside and a musical program will be presented by the senior choir under the direction of Mrs. George Spangler, with Mrs. Evelyn Byer playing the organ accompaniment.

"Keeping in Love with Life" will be the subject of the sermon to be delivered by the pastor at the 7:30 o'clock service Sunday evening. Music will be presented by the junior choir.

## Frostburg Man To Head Local Insurance Group

John P. Cain, Frostburg, was elected chairman of Insurance Agents sub-local of Local 65, United Office and Professional Workers, Pittsburgh, at a meeting of the sub-local held yesterday morning in the local office of the Eureka-Maryland Assurance Corporation. Cain succeeds Thomas J. Barnes, who will enter service soon.

Members of the sub-local also elected Oscar Sisk, Ft. Ashby, W. Va., as delegate to the Maryland Industrial Union council to replace Robert Swanner who also will enter the armed forces soon.

In a resolution passed at the meeting, the agents called for the continuance of the school lunch program as provided in the Wagner bill and asked for an end of the poll tax in southern states, according to Horace B. Davis, CIO field representative.

## Street and Water Workers of City Seek Wage Boost

### City Officials also Asked for Sick Leave and More Vacation

The mayor and city council were asked last night by a committee from Municipal Employees Local No. 812, (street and water department employees) for a wage increase of ten cents an hour, two weeks' vacation with pay and ten days' sick leave yearly.

Members of the council, however, said an answer to the request probably cannot be made before about May 15 after department appropriations for the fiscal year have been prepared.

The requested increase, the vacation and the ten days' sick leave, Hunter B. Helfrich, commissioner of streets and public property, figured, would cost the city an additional \$93.24 per year per man.

**One Week Vacation Now**  
William Shippe, president of the local and spokesman for the committee at the special meeting held in the mayor's office, said the present wage rate is sixty-six cents hourly for laborers and seventy-two and one-half cents per hour for truck drivers. Under the present system, he added, employees of the two departments receive one week vacation with pay and no sick leave.

Although, as Shippe pointed out, the local does not represent foremen in the two departments, the councilmen indicated that any increase should also include them.

A year ago street and water department employees received a ten per cent wage bonus that was applied to wages of all municipal employees. Shippe related, adding that the previous year street and water department workers received a five cent hourly increase.

**"No Opposition"**  
As the meeting neared an end, Helfrich told the committee it would be necessary for them to wait for an answer until budget figures have been determined. He pointed out to the committee, however, that they "have no opposition here with what you would like to do. It depends solely on the amount of money we can find to take care of these things."

Representing the local at the meeting were Shippe, James Shaw, vice president; William Otten, Wilbert Brinkman and Lester Wagner.

## Red Cross Drive Office To Be Open Two More Weeks

### Leaders of Recent Campaign Praise Women's Soliciting Group

Although Allegany county's Red Cross drive has officially ended by going over the goal of \$105,000, campaign headquarters in the Fort Cumberland hotel will remain open for two more weeks, former Chief Judge D. Lindley Sloan, general campaign chairman, and Mrs. Lee W. Withruff, chapter chairman, announced yesterday.

Headquarters will remain open, they explained, so that persons who have not yet had the privilege of contributing may do so, and in case any contributors wish to increase their donations.

Yesterday, both Judge Sloan and Mrs. Withruff were high in their praise of the efforts of the Women's division headed by Mrs. Jim McQuown.

Judge Sloan declared that the women did a "marvelous" job in Cumberland and county communities, and Mrs. Withruff pointed out that women's soliciting organizations functioned this year in county towns where they have never functioned before. This, she said, was due in part to the production committee organization set up by Mrs. McQuown and to the co-operation of women Red Cross workers who have been doing volunteer work since the beginning of the war.

Goal for the Women's division in the drive was \$16,744 and although they fell \$26.38 short of that figure when totals were compiled yesterday, Mrs. Withruff gave women workers considerable credit for the successful campaign.

Money reported by the women was announced by drive leaders as North End, \$4,234.5; South End, \$4,145.23; West Side, \$4,325.10; East Side, \$699.89; Bowling Green, \$592; LaVale, \$1,312.06; colored, \$1,331.01; Hillcrest, \$1,581.50; Spring Gap, \$403.25; North Branch, \$97.60; Mexico Farms, \$53.95; Picardy, \$26.50; Williams road, \$191.80; Little Orleans, \$44.23.

The Rev. Edward Lewis, Spring Spring, a boyhood friend of Keeseker will place a gold star on the service flag.

Keeseker was a son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Keeseker, 512 Sheridan Place.

## Police Ask Motorists To Learn Tag Numbers

State police asked last night that all motorists of Cumberland and Allegany county memorize the license numbers on their automobiles as an aid in recovering stolen cars.

When a motorist whose car is stolen can report the license number, police can begin an immediate check, but when the number is not known, officers are handicapped in recovering the vehicle because the number must be traced through the office of the commissioner of motor vehicles in Baltimore, thus giving the thief a head start, troopers said.

## Correction

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## Morris Baron, Head Of County Bar, Lauds Capper Appointment

Commenting on the appointment of Walter C. Capper, Cumberland attorney, as chief judge of the Fourth judicial circuit, Morris Baron, president of the Allegany County Bar Association, last evening, said:

"I am sure the appointment is eminently satisfactory to every member of the bar. Both Governor O'Connor and Mr. Capper should be congratulated on the splendid choice."

"I am certain that Mr. Capper will make a fair, upright and scholarly judge and I am personally pleased with his appointment."

## 'Payroll Padding' Case Draws Fire From Helfrich

### Council Moves To Release Damm; Too Much Over-time Pay Is Condemned

What he described as a clear-cut case of "payroll padding" was unearthed yesterday at city hall by Hunter B. Helfrich, commissioner of streets and public property, but most of the damage had been done before he became a member of the city's administrative body.

The case came to light while Helfrich was making an investigation of the payroll in his department and discovered that Julius M. Damm, sewer foreman, who has been off on account of illness for some time, not only was paid regularly while not working but also received overtime pay in addition to his regular wages.

In reviewing Damm's case, it was divulged that on Monday, April 3, at the last meeting of members of the 1942-44 administration, it was voted to pay the sewer foreman two weeks' salary despite his illness. Mayor Conlon, at that time, brought up the question and pointed out that Damm had been a city employee for many years, urging that he be placed back on the payroll after being removed. Commissioner Reynolds, then head of the department, said he did not know Damm had been removed from the payroll and moved to pay the wages.

**Council Not Informed**  
Present members of the council, three of whom were re-elected, yesterday said they were not aware of the fact that Damm had received pay regularly for eight weeks while he was not working because Reynolds failed to advise them on the matter and that each councilman felt that he was capable of handling matters in his own department.

"There is no objection to paying a faithful employee like Mr. Damm, if such is legal," Charles Z. Heskett, city attorney said, "but I question the legality of this case."

"We can't afford to set up a pension fund in the State department and we better straighten out this matter now," Helfrich demanded.

**Opposes Partiality**  
"Other employees have been forced to lay off and they received no compensation. Why should there be any exception?"

Heskett advised the heads of the Street and Water department to get together and order that no overtime be paid unless authorized by the mayor and council.

Heskett sounded a warning against "payroll padding" and added that when such a thing exists it is a violation of the law.

Referring to the Damm case, Heskett stated that "things done for sentimental reasons always kick back."

Helfrich complained of too much overtime pay being distributed in the Street department and said he will take immediate steps to stop it.

**Damm Is Released**  
Inasmuch as Damm has been paid in violation of the city code, the council agreed to release him from the payroll and pay him up to date.

There is no provision in the law to retire Damm but Helfrich suggested that since the police and firemen have pension funds to which the city is contributing "why not include the other departments?"

## Memorial Service To Be Held Here For Ronald Keeseker

The Rev. Charles M. LePew, pastor of Grace Methodist church, will preach a brief memorial sermon Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at a memorial service to be held for Ronald Keeseker, a member of the church who was killed in action in Italy February 16. This will be a regular worship service of the church dedicated to the soldier's memory and will take the place of the usual evening service.

The Rev. Edward Lewis, Spring Spring, a boyhood friend of Keeseker will place a gold star on the service flag.

Keeseker was a son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Keeseker, 512 Sheridan Place.

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## Local Board No. 2 Sends 19 Men for Induction in Army

### F. Patrick Allender and Charles W. Smith Are Included in Group

Seventeen registrants of Local Board No. 2 and two transfers left here yesterday afternoon for Fort George G. Meade to be inducted into the army. P. Emmett Fahey, chief clerk, announced yesterday.

Included in the group were Floyd Patrick Allender, 44 North Mechanic street, business manager of the Building and Construction Trades Council, and Charles Warren Smith, 631 Hilltop drive, payroll accountant of the Kelly-Springfield Tire Company.

Two registrants who were slated to be inducted in the call were held up since they were over 26 and were engaged in essential industry, Fahey said.

Others in the contingent were Casper William George, 118 Decatur street; Edward Morris Metz, 307 Holland street; Bernard Arthur Harris, 483 Eastern avenue; Lawrence William Dorsey, 124 Hanover street; James Edward Robison, 404 Columbia street; Maurice Jennings Floyd, Middleton; Herbert Clark Wentz, Route 3.

Raymond Voll McKenzie, Paw Paw, W. Va.; Robert Alexander Park, 229 Emily street; Joseph Aloysius Blake, Mt. Savage; Robert John Habig, Middle River; Ernest Board Treat, 311 Helen street; John William Shober, 447 North Mechanic street; Henry David Gladboys, 402 Memorial avenue, and Arthur Vincent Hast, 811 Columbia avenue.

Two men, Franklin Eugene Hare, Oakland, and George Malcolm Griffith, Jr., who were transferred here from other boards, were inducted with the contingent.

## THOMAS BARKINS DIES OF HEART ATTACK

Thomas A. Barkins, 65, retired Baltimore and Ohio railroad fireman, died suddenly at his home two miles west of Plintstone, at 2:40 p. m. yesterday after suffering a heart attack. He was a veteran of the Spanish-American war.

According to Dr. Linne H. Corson, deputy county medical examiner, Mr. Barkins had been cutting wood in the rear of his home but was walking toward the house when he collapsed.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Annabell Twig Barkins, an infant daughter, Dolores Jean, at home; a stepdaughter, Anna Lee Propst, at home; and two daughters by a former marriage, Mrs. Virginia Gordon, Cumberland; and Mrs. Carl Spencer, Parkersburg, W. Va.

The body will remain at Hafer's funeral home.

## SOLOMON SMITH

Solomon Smith, 78 Sully, W. Va., died at 9:15 a. m. yesterday in Allegany hospital where he had been a patient since March 19. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Alice Smith. The body was taken to Davis, W. Va.

## MISS MARY DRISCOLL RITES

Funeral services for Miss Mary E. Driscoll, 78, 324 Beall street, were held yesterday morning in St. Patrick's Catholic church with the Rev. Charles W. Bogan officiating. Interment was in SS. Peter and Paul cemetery.

Pallbearers were Vetus J. Ross-worm, Martin M. Corrigan, Edward L. White, Simon K. Carroll, Walter M. Sanders and John Coleman.

## Accident Commission Holds Hearings Here

Several cases were on the docket for the hearings held at the city hall yesterday by the Maryland Industrial Accident Commission with Dr. Thomas Koon, commissioner, presiding. Cases on the docket included:

Randall Ray Beitzell vs. Galen Beachy; Harry A. Clark vs. Big Vein Coal Company of Lonaconing; Pasquale Dimaio vs. Cumberland Contracting Co.; James E. Holliday vs. Cumberland Box Co.; Russell Stallings vs. Kelly-Springfield Tire Co.; Clyde